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Reds Take Kharkov, Periling Big Nazi Force East of Dnieper; Rommel Driven Back 6 Miles

Nelson Ousts Eberstadt Over Protests Of Military

Turns Powers Over To Wilson, Who Becomes Second in Command of WPB

By Ben W. Gilbert
Post Staff Writer

Revealing a determination to have civilians running the war production show, Chairman Donald M. Nelson of the War Production Board yesterday discharged WPB Vice Chairman Ferdinand Eberstadt in the face of objections from the armed forces and transferred all of Eberstadt's powers to WPB Vice Chairman Charles E. Wilson.

Wilson, who will bear the title of executive vice chairman of WPB with "authority over all phases of WPB programs and activities," according to an announcement by Nelson, thus becomes Nelson's "chief of staff," vested with power to order the armed services to carry on WPB's production directives.

Eberstadt, a former New York investment banker who came to the War Production Board last September from the chairmanship of the Army-Navy Munitions Board, announced at a press conference following his dismissal that he had applied for active duty in the Field Artillery, with which he served in the first World War as a captain.

Appeal to Roosevelt Reported

Robert P. Patterson, Undersecretary of War, and James V. Forrestal, Assistant Secretary of the Navy, were said to have told Nelson at the weekly WPB meeting yesterday that they strongly disapproved of his action dismissing Eberstadt and that Wilson was attempting to "build an edifice without foundation" with his present program.

The armed services were reported to have appealed the whole question to the White House while Nelson was still considering it, but President Roosevelt stated at his regular press conference that he had received no appeal from the services, although he said he did not know whether Economic Stabilization Director James F. Byrnes or some other member of the White House staff had received such an appeal.

Nelson Visits White House

There were indications that the armed forces might press for Nelson's ouster on the ground that WPB—subject of many reorganizations had become an unworkable organization. The services were said to have advanced the suggestion that Bernard Baruch, head of the World War I Industries Board, replace Nelson.

WPB officials emphasized that Nelson did not take the question to the White House for decision, but had determined to handle the matter himself—decisively and firmly. Lack of decisiveness has frequently been charged against

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2 New 100-Bed Hospitals Get WPB Sanction

Construction of 100-bed hospitals at Bethesda and Cheverly, Md., was approved by the Facilities Clearance Board of the War Production Board, thus giving the metropolitan area a total of 1180 new beds, and bringing to a close months of discussion and controversy over the hospital situation here.

Approval of a new hospital to be called Prince Georges County General Hospital at Cheverly, and the hospital and nurses' home at Bethesda were announced late yesterday following a meeting of the Clearance Board. The Governmental Division, headed by Maury Maverick, which first surveyed the hospital situation here, had recommended the construction.

Prince Georges County Hospital will cost $612,000 and will be one story, using a minimum of critical materials. Bethesda, with the nurses' home, will cost $665,000 and will also be one story.

Rumor of Notables And Bomb Blasts Leave OWI Cold

The Office of War Information—which disclaims jurisdiction over rumors—was happy to say off the record last night that there was no foundation for certain rumors which spread in the Social Security Building yesterday.

The rumors included reports that Mme. Chiang Kai-shek, Marshal Timoshenko, General de Gaulle and other notables were visiting the building, that a note had been found warning of a bomb explosion at 2:30 p. m., and that some unhappy soul had killed himself in a wing corridor on the second floor.

The building was visited by numerous armed guards and plain clothes men during the day. Whether these visits provoked the rumors or vice versa was not clear.

Skating Still Good

Mercury Dips Again but Cold Will Relax Grip Here Today

Post Staff Photo
The season's first skaters try out the ice at the Lincoln Memorial Reflecting Pool.

Roosevelt Says He's Postwar Money-Saver

Sees Congress as Spendthrift if It Kills 'Plan' Agencies

President Roosevelt said yesterday at his press conference that, so far as post-war planning was concerned, he was a great saver of money, a watchdog of the Nation's pocketbook.

The spendthrifts, he said, will turn out to be members of Congress if Congress votes to abolish agencies like the National Resources Board which are planning for a post-war America.

Mr. Roosevelt's eyes twinkled when he referred to himself as a Treasury watchdog—a role of his, which, he said, had not been given sufficient publicity—but his smile disappeared when he began defending the National Resources Board.

Fund Eliminated

Members of Congress, told about the President's statement, said that they too favored postwar planning, but were opposed to any more "super-boondoggling."

The House Appropriations Committee recently eliminated from the Independent Offices bill an estimate of $1,400,000 to run the National Resources Board, which is headed by the President's uncle, Frederic A. Delano. The appropriation bill is now before the House.

President Roosevelt praised the board warmly, saying it had been doing good work in planning a backlog of jobs for the day when the soldiers come marching

See ECONOMY, Page 6, Col. 1.

Hoover's Views On War Assailed

Majority Leader McCormack and Minority Leader Martin clashed on the House floor yesterday over former President Hoover's advice that the country "should not try to do too much too fast," as time is on our side. McCormack's assertion that Hoover's position was "in favor of a negotiated peace" was hotly challenged by Martin.

(Details on Page 2.)

Oil Dealers Swamped With Orders; Delays Cause Some Suffering

1 a. m.	14	2 p. m.	21
2 a. m.	14	3 p. m.	23
3 a. m.	12	4 p. m.	25
4 a. m.	12	5 p. m.	27
5 a. m.	12	6 p. m.	26
6 a. m.	11	7 p. m.	24
7 a. m.	10	8 p. m.	23
7:30 a. m.	9	9 p. m.	22
8 a. m.	10	10 p. m.	21
9 a. m.	14	11 p. m.	21
10 a. m.	15	Midnight	19
11 a. m.	16	1 a. m.	19
12 noon	18	2 a. m.	18
1 p. m.	19		

Relief from Washington's four-day cold snap is forecast for today when the mercury is expected to climb to a point above freezing, the Weather Bureau said last night. At the same time, it was predicted that the temperature would dip to a low of 13 degrees early today.

Yesterday's minimum of 9 degrees was recorded at 7:20 a. m. but under a bright sun, it gradually rose to 27 at 5 p. m. It started to fall after that and by midnight it had dropped to 19.

There were two sources of consolation for the cold-stricken Capital as the freeze went into its fourth night—that the rest of the East, from Maine to Florida was suffering a similar visitation by Mr. J. Frost and that ice skating had become possible on the reflecting pool and at other points in and around the District.

St. John's College at 1225 Vermont Avenue Northwest gave its students a holiday for at least a portion of the cold spell, closing the school from noon Monday to noon Thursday while the heating plant was being converted from oil to coal. Coach Andy Farkas said, however, that the basketball team was continuing practice for the duration of the "cool out."

Some actual suffering was reported by fuel-oil dealers for short periods yesterday, as consumers ran out of the precious fluid and oil companies were too swamped with calls to attend to all orders immediately. Supplies on hand seemed adequate for the immediate future, but dealers said the overall reserve in consumers' tanks was too low for security in the event the cold lasts another two days. All too many would be running out of oil at the same time, they said, and even with supplies on hand, truck facilities would be unable to cope with the sudden demand.

Farm Picture Held Cause For Concern

Wickard Clings to His 'Incentive' Plan; Senators Chart War On Black Markets

By Christine Sadler
Post Staff Writer

Amid questions loaded with irritation at the Administration's attempts to control food prices, Secretary of Agriculture Wickard yesterday agreed with members of the Senate Agriculture Committee that American farm prospects for this year are "enough to cause grave concern."

But he held fast to his belief in incentive payments, and declared civilian consumers could not be expected to pay all of the cost of a successful war food program. Although committe members declared farmers of their areas unanimously opposed to "incentive subsidies," the food administrator said he could see no difference in accepting payment for food reduction under old farm programs and in taking pay for increased production under the new.

Cramped by Shortages

Farmers, he declared, are faced with shortages of labor, machinery, fertilizer and transportation facilities—all at a time when the potential market for their products is almost unlimited.

Also, he acknowledged very serious black markets in beef and said that unchecked they could disrupt the Nation's food program. The total number of beef cattle in the country, however, is at an all-time high, Secretary Wickard declared, expressing belief that the greatest factor in the current meat shortage is distribution.

Meantime, Price Administrator Prentiss Brown disclosed the Government might clamp price ceilings on livestock in an effort to halt the black markets. Illicit slaughterers now are able to outbid legitimate dealers, he pointed out, because the latter are compelled to operate under packing and retailing price controls.

Farmers Not to Blame

Government purchase of livestock for slaughter and the registration of all meat dealers were suggested to a House committee as means of breaking up black markets. They were made by Wilbur La Roe, jr., counsel for the Independent Meat Packers Union, who asserted the black market evils today "are for worse and far more extensive than those under prohibition."

Administrator Brown said farmers could not be blamed for accepting the highest prices offered them when there were no restrictions against such. "When we place ceilings on livestock—and we are seriously considering doing that—I am sure farm people will abide by that," he declared.

See FOOD, Page 6, Column 4.

Germans Take Gafsa in South; Allies Concede Severe Losses

By Wes Gallagher
Associated Press Staff Writer

Allied Headquarters in North Africa, Feb. 16.—American tank forces and combat teams, rising to their first great test of the war, threw back the veteran armored forces of Marshal Erwin Rommel 6 miles today in a counterattack west of Faid Pass on the ancient plateau of central Tunisia.

Recovering from the shock of Rommel's first onslaught which broke through their lines for a gain of 20 miles Sunday, the Americans, under an umbrella of fighter planes, were engaged in a heavy action which might hasten the North African showdown by weeks.

Some 60 miles to the South, the Allied lines were bent back as American and French troops withdrew from Gafsa, 75 miles west of the Gulf of Gabes, and small forces of the enemy occupied that forward base, but the decisive action was being fought around Sidi Bouzid about 125 miles south and slightly west of Tunis.

Eighth Army Moving Up

There were signs that the Germans might renew the attack with an additional thrust down the Ousseltia Valley to gain the long ridge of the high mountains running from Robaa to Bou Chebka in the south. Dwight D. Eisenhower was at the fighting front for three days, returning to his headquarters today.

Rommel apparently had thrown the bulk of his armored forces into the battle in what may be his last big offensive effort in Africa at a time when he believed the British Eighth Army would require an extensive period of rest and reconditioning following its 1400-mile chase of his troops across Egypt and Libya into Tunisia.

But the communique from Cairo today said Gen. Sir Bernard L. Montgomery's desert veterans were continuing to push up to the Mareth Line, 65 miles inside Tunisia, and had occupied Ben Gardane, a fortified outpost. Ben Gardane is about 20 miles inside Tunisia.

(A Berlin broadcast, quoting "competent military quarters," said

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8000 to 10,000 Yanks Lost, Nazi Radio Says

London, Feb. 16 (AP).—Reuters said tonight the German radio had announced the Axis offensive in southern Tunisia had "temporarily ended" and troops were mopping up the battlefields between Faid and Gafsa.

The German report said total American losses, including killed, wounded and captured, must be at least 8000 or 10,000. It claimed that 3000 Americans were killed in the engagement and that 781 prisoners had been counted.

U. S. Cruiser Chicago Lost

Wide-Ranging Sea-Air Fight Cost Japs 17 Ships, 60 Planes

By John G. Norris
Post Staff Writer

The widespread sea and air engagements fought during the closing days of the battle for Guadalcanal cost the Japs 17 ships sunk or damaged and at least 60 planes shot down, compared with American losses of two warships and 3 P-T boats sunk and 22 planes destroyed, the Navy announced yesterday.

Finally lifting the veil of secrecy thrown over the fighting in the South Pacific, January 29-February 7, the Navy disclosed that United States and Nipponese naval and air units clashed eleven times in this running battle over a 100,000-square-mile area.

Principal American loss in the encounters was the 9300-ton heavy cruiser Chicago. The 12-year-old vessel went down January 30 south of Guadalcanal, following two enemy torpedo plane attacks.

Casualties among the Chicago's crew were not great, the Navy communique reported. The ship's peacetime complement was about 800 men, but it probably was carrying more when sunk. Its commander, Capt. Ralph O. Davis of Baltimore, survives.

The other American warship loss was a destroyer the name of which will not be disclosed until the next of kin of her casualties can be notified.

Three United States motor torpedo boats were also lost in a night battle with Jap destroyers.

Japanese vessels blasted by United States planes and motor torpedo boats were:

Two destroyers definitely sunk.

Four destroyers probably sunk.

Eight destroyers, one corvette and two cargo ships damaged.

There was no report of any American ships damaged, following the usual custom.

The fully story of the series of clashes between naval task forces

See PACIFIC, Page 2, Column 4.

'Work or Fight' Legislation Gets Approval

House Committee Acts To End Absenteeism In War Industries

The House Naval Affairs Committee yesterday approved "work or fight" legislation in the first congressional step toward halting absenteeism in war industries.

By amendment of a minor bill to authorize payment of transportation costs to civilian workers, the committee made its first move against absenteeism among Navy Yard workers.

But Committee Chairman Vinson (Democrat), of Georgia, promised that the body would vote to apply the "work or fight" rule to workers employed by the scores of private Navy contractors. The action will be taken, he explained, in a separate bill.

The amendment approved yesterday would require Navy Yard authorities to submit quarterly statements to selective service boards, giving the name of each employe who has been absent "without prior authorization," describing the worker's duties, giving the length of each absence and expressing an "opinion" on the justification for the absence.

Representative Lyndon Johnson (Democrat), of Texas, sponsor of the

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Murphy Becomes Ill in Texas, But Will Continue Trip

Dallas, Feb. 16 (AP).—Supreme Court Justice Frank Murphy, who today became ill here while en route by plane to the West Coast, was reported improved tonight and probably will leave the hospital in two days.

Dr. E. O. Rushing described Murphy's ailment as a state of nervous collapse, "apparently from strain and overwork."

Murphy was said to be planning to continue his trip to California for a second visit to his brother, Lieut. Comdr. George Murphy, Navy flier, who broke his back in a recent fall.

St. Nazaire Raid Costs 6 U. S. Bombers

Yanks Score Direct Hits on U-Boat Base Despite Heavy Defense

By Gladwin Hill
Associated Press Staff Writer

An American Bomber Station In England, Feb. 16.—American Flying Fortresses and Liberators pounded the German submarine base at St. Nazaire in daylight today in the face of heavy ground and aerial defenses which brought down six of the big four-motored bombers.

It was the second European assault in two days for the U. S. bombers and the third Allied attack in four days against St. Nazaire, a French port about 75 miles southeast of Lorient, where the Loire River empties into the Bay of Biscay.

English Coast Bombed

Although they bumped into a daredevil German flying circus and a thick curtain of antiaircraft fire, the bombers reported dropping their explosives dead on the target.

Other large formations of Allied planes, believed to be fighters, roared out across the English Channel late this afternoon, headed toward Boulogne and Calais.

The Ministries of Air and Home Security announced that enemy planes dropped bombs at a place near the southwest coast of England this afternoon, causing some damage and a small number of casualties.

"Shortly before dark our fighters shot down an enemy bomber

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Blackout Test Planned Monday

Washington's blackout to test the new air raid signals will be held on George Washington's birthday anniversary, it was decided yesterday by the District Commissioners. They had been in doubt whether a holiday blackout would be advisable. The test will be held Monday night between 8 and 10 o'clock.

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Capture of City Most Significant Russian Victory Since Stalingrad

By Eddy Gilmore
Associated Press Staff Writer

Moscow, Feb. 16.—Red army troops stormed into Kharkov today in a vicious assault, seizing that skyscraper city of the Ukraine to wrest from the Germans their greatest fortified base in southern Russia and imperil all Hitler's troops east of the Dnieper River.

Capture of the industrial center and former capital of the Ukraine—which probably was more valuable to the Germans than any other Russian city they have taken—was announced in a special communique.

Kharkov was toppled after a "violent attack which passed into fierce street fighting," it declared, and the Soviet lunge smashed through some of Hitler's crack army units.

(The Russian midnight communique, as recorded by the Soviet monitor in London, reported sweeping advances over a 20-mile wide front in the Rostov region, with Sinyavka, 20 miles west of Rostov and halfway to Taganrog, Nazi defense center on the northern coast of the Sea of Azov, one of the localities falling to the Russians.

(Half a dozen other towns fell to the Russians sweeping forward to clean out the whole Donets River basin of the German invaders, the communique added.

(West of Krasny-Sulin, railway junction in the Donets, the Soviet offensive rolled forward into 30 more populated places, and the peril to Nazi forces in all of southern Russia deepened with these advances and the fall of Kharkov, which poises the Russians for southward drives that could trap large German forces.

(Russian troops advanced on other sectors, killing hundreds of Germans, the midnight war bulletin said, and Soviet offensives continued in the Kharkov area against "desperate resistance. . . . The Soviet units broke up the enemy defenses by powerful blows and are

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Nazi Troops Rushing To Kiev From West

London (Wednesday), Feb. 17 (AP).—The Ankara radio broadcast a report today that German tanks, antitank guns and soldiers were pouring from Western Europe toward Kiev.

Kiev is on the middle Dnieper River and may become the main supply base for any new German line. It is 250 miles west of Kharkov.

Followers Fear For Gandhi in 7th Day of Fast

New Delhi, Feb. 16 (AP).—Mohandas K. Gandhi, in the seventh day of his scheduled three-weeks fast, was growing constantly weaker today and his followers feared he might die this time.

Gandhi's condition was reflected in a deepening gloom among leading Indians and was reaching into the ranks of the government.

While five doctors who examined him today offered no information on his condition, a later government communique stated his "condition has further deteriorated during the past 24 hours."

Timoshenko in D. C., Morocco Radio Says

London, Feb. 16 (INS).—Marshal Semyon Timoshenko, one of the Soviet Union's foremost military leaders, is in Washington to discuss the promised invasion of the continent with the American high command, the Morocco radio said today.

Distinguished Visitor

Capital Prepares to Welcome Wife of China's Generalissimo

Mme. Chiang Kai-shek, wife of China's fighting generalissimo, sister-in-law of modern China's founder, and a United Nations leader in her own right, will come to Washington today to visit the President and Mrs. Roosevelt.

Like the time and place of her arrival, the diplomatic and possibly strategic importance of her visit was an officially guarded secret. It has been generally understood that she would seek to encourage greater emphasis on the Far Pacific battle front.

Capitol leaders prepared to welcome her tomorrow. She will visit the Senate at 12:15 p. m., the House at 12:30 p. m., and speak to both chambers, according to tentative plans.

After meeting the two houses, she will be the luncheon guest of a small group of congressional leaders in the Senate wing of the Capitol.

In this country since last fall, Mme. Chiang Kai-shek has spent most of her visit in a New York hospital. She has seen Mrs. Roosevelt.

American - educated, Mme. Chiang Kai-shek is a member of China's famous Soong family. Her given name is Mei Ling. American-

MME. CHIANG KAI-SHEK

ized to Mayling. As a girl she was tutored in Macon, Ga., receiving a Southern accent along with history lessons. She was graduated from Wellesley College in Massachusetts. An elder sister was the wife of Sun Yat-sen, founder of the Chinese Republic.

Vanished Monday

Missing Teller of D. C. Bank Sought in $73,799 Shortage

A shortage of $73,999.99 was reported by the Security Savings & Commercial Bank, Ninth and G Streets Northwest, yesterday as police and the FBI instituted a Nation-wide search for John Rodney Young, 38, of 5514 Seventh Street Northwest, paying and receiving teller, who disappeared at 3 p. m. Monday. He was charged in a warrant with embezzling $25,000 which an FBI spokesman reported "we are prepared to prove is missing at this time."

YOUNG

Auditors of the FBI are examining the books, it was revealed, and probably will not be finished for at least a week.

Disappearance of the teller, an employe of the bank since 1923, was reported to Detective Sergt. David Higgins Monday night by Francis G. Addison, jr., president of the institution.

He told Higgins that Young reported for work at 9 a. m. Monday, "as usual," and worked until about 3 p. m. at which time he asked to be allowed to visit a doctor for a sty on his right eye.

The shortage is covered by bond, it was said.

Mrs. Edna Young, the man's wife, said he left home about 8 a. m. Monday. He has been in a normal frame of mind, she said.

At Baltimore Plant

Young Navy Plane Inspector Accused of 150 Acts of Sabotage

By the Associated Press

Baltimore, Feb. 16.—A 21-year-old civilian plane inspector for the Navy was ordered held under $25,000 bond today pending further hearing on charges he committed 150 acts of sabotage which cost the Glenn L. Martin Co. "a sum to be reckoned in the millions."

Harvey Lee Thomas, whose arrest was announced earlier in the day by the Federal Bureau of Investigation, said at a hearing before United States Commissioner James K. Cullen that he damaged or destroyed electrical equipment on Navy patrol bombers "to get even with Martin company inspectors."

The youth, employed at the Martin plant since September, 1942, and before that a resident of Adamstown, Md., said he obtained the job in order to get "a deferment from the draft. I wanted a chance to continue studying medicine. I thought I could study medicine and work at the Martin plant at the same time."

E. A. Schurman, chief of plant protection at the large Middle River aircraft factory, said Thomas had delayed some planes as much as two days each, affected a total of 64 two-motored patrol bombers and cost the Martin company "a sum to be reckoned in the millions, not in the hundreds."

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Hoover Assailed For 'Appeasement'

McCormack Hits Testimony Before Senate Hearing

In a House speech which Republicans were quick to ascribe to Administration "inspiration," Majority Leader McCormack of Massachusetts, yesterday assailed former President Herbert Hoover for taking "a position in favor of a negotiated peace" and "of unadulterated appeasement."

The Democratic leader scored the only living former President for telling a Senate Appropriations Subcommittee last week that this country "should not try to do too much too fast" with its manpower and material resources because time, in this war, "runs in our favor" and against the Axis.

The speech, a document of 10 pages prepared with meticulous care, brought a brisk defense of Hoover from Republican Leader Martin of Massachusetts and from Representative Bender (Republican) of Ohio the countercharge that McCormack's remarks were "an entire distortion of Mr. Hoover's statement."

Is McCormack Serious?

In one of the sharpest colloquies in years between majority and minority leader, Martin arose to ask McCormack "particularly" if he wanted "to make a serious charge that Mr. Hoover is working with the Nazis or trying to appease them."

"The gentleman need not be disturbed about the extent to which he must apologize for what Mr. Hoover said," the Democratic leader retorted. "What Mr. Hoover said speaks for itself. Mr. Hoover has said that time now runs in our favor, and I challenge that statement."

"The gentleman understands that Mr. Hoover has on many occasions said he is in this war to fight it to a decisive finish," Martin declared.

Follow the advice of Hoover, McCormack insisted, and "the result will be a stalemate of war, a wave of appeasement sentiment and a negotiated peace."

McCormack stopped just short of calling Hoover an appeaser by saying that the former President's advice put him in the position of favoring a negotiated peace.

Hitler Called Time "Ally"

In his prepared argument, McCormack observed that Adolf Hitler, in his September speech, told the Nazis that time was "his Ally."

If "unadulterated appeasement," said the Democratic leader, "is what former President Hoover stands for, why does he not say so . . . frankly state to the American people that he stands for a negotiated peace, instead of using deceptive words to hide his true thoughts?"

Time, McCormack reasoned, is the war ally of the nation on the defensive. The United Nations, he went on, are on the march.

Hoover, Roosevelt Compared

McCormack contrasted the "honest but misguided opinion" of Hoover with the determination of President Roosevelt and Prime Minister Churchill to force from the Axis "unconditional surrender."

Republicans saw in McCormack's attack recognition among Democrats, public clamor for appointment of Hoover as food administrator, his World War I job.

The former President without doubt made a hit with the Democratic members of the Senate Appropriations subcommittee on manpower when he advocated higher farm prices as an incentive to food production. The Administration wants to use "incentive" payments.

War Sidelights

Army Doctor Operates 22 Times in Day

London, Feb. 16 (By Cable).—Britain's first surgeon-parachutist, 29-year old Lieut. Charles Granville Rob, has been awarded the Military Cross. After only 10 months in the army, he was drafted to North Africa and assigned, as a member of a surgical team, to follow British parachutists who flew 350 miles to drop and capture a vital airfield.

In the ensuing desert fighting behind enemy lines, Rob performed 140 operations under devastating fire—22 of them in one day. Later he gave a pint of his own blood to a badly wounded soldier when the supplies of plasma and blood ran out.

Ciano Visits Vatican

London, Feb. 16 (AP).—Count Galeazzo Ciano, the new Italian ambassador to the Holy See, was received by Luigi Cardinal Maglione, the papal secretary of state, when he made his first official visit to the Vatican today, a Berlin broadcast recorded by the Associated Press said.

150 Arrested in Slaying

Istanbul, Feb. 16 (AP).—The slaying of Gen. Christo Loukov, former Bulgarian minister of defense, on the steps of his home in Sofia Saturday night was reported today to have been followed by 150 arrests.

Bulgaria was extremely excited over the episode, reports to Istanbul said, and all members of the Bulgarian cabinet now were said to be protected by motorcycle escorts.

Hydrogen Blast Injures 25 Persons

Schenectady, N. Y., Feb. 16 (INS).—Twenty-five persons were injured today when a hydrogen storage tank exploded at the General Electric plant and demolished one small adjoining building and damaged three others.

Company officials, with the approval of the FBI, made the announcement after residents of cities within a 15-mile radius of the huge war production plant were alarmed by the explosion, which rocked houses as far away as Albany, 25 miles from the plant.

Car of Horse Meat Is En Route to D. C.

If you haven't tasted horse meat yet, you'll have your chance. There's a whole carload, 40,000 pounds no less, now en route to Washington to be sold at the Table Supply Store, 2007 Fourteenth Street Northwest.

The first 19,000 pounds, purchased by the company as an experiment, was sold out in four days. So far as can be learned, no other butcher in the District is planning to handle horse meat at the present time.

Hatfield's Nephew Dies in 75th Year

Williamson, W. Va., Feb. 16 (AP).—Greenway W. Hatfield, 74, a direct descendent of the famed Hatfield family and three times sheriff of Mingo County, died last night after a brief illness.

Heavy Cruiser Sunk Off Solomons

Official U. S. Navy Photos

The Navy yesterday revealed the loss of the heavy cruiser U. S. S. Chicago, commanded by Capt. Ralph O. Davis (inset), in a naval battle off the Solomon Islands. Captain Davis was among those saved.

Kharkov's Fall Puts Big Nazi Force in Peril

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wiping out the manpower and equipment of the Hitlerites.")

Kharkov was the greatest victory for Russian arms since the triumph at Stalingrad, where the German Sixth Army was wiped out.

In the final assault, Red army men routed some of Hitler's best "SS" or elite guard corps, including two—the "Adolf Hitler" and "Reich" Tank Divisions—that the Russians say had been rushed up from France since January 31.

The fall of Kharkov marked the crumbling not only of the strongest bastion of the Nazis' powerful 1941-42 winter defensive line—from which last summer's great German offensive was mounted—but also the last important stronghold of the line except Orel to the north, and that city already is half encircled.

From Kharkov, vital railway center second in importance only to Moscow, the Russians can threaten new traps for German forces retreating across the plains east of the Dnieper.

Kharkov had been in German hands since October 24, 1941, four months after the start of the Nazi invasion. It normally was a city of 800,000, with immense industries and six trunk railroad lines radiating from it.

Nazis in Bad Position

At Kharkov the Russians now stand about 125 miles northwest of the Dnieper at Dnieperopetrovsk, and the speed with which their offensive has crushed forward indicates the Germans—their whole system of "hedgehog" defenses in southern Russia virtually eliminated—plan to make a new stand on the western bank of the Dnieper. Farther south the Russians stand at Lozovoga, only 65 miles east of Dnieperopetrovsk.

(All the Nazi forces in the Donets River basin to the south now seem to be in an almost indefensible position, for the Soviets can sweep down to encircle them, and the Germans apparently must yield all the territory along the northern coast of the Sea of Azov and perhaps the Crimea as well.

(British military observers say the Germans must fall back to the Dnieper or perish.

(The German radio had prepared its people for the loss of Kharkov, announcing a few hours earlier that the Soviets had fought their way into the suburbs of the big city.

(Reuters, in a report from Stockholm, quoted a German military spokesman as telling a Swedish newspaper correspondent that "we have suffered a defeat unprecedented in this war.")

By Russian estimate, the capture of Kharkov had cost the Germans 120,000 troops killed or wounded. The Soviets tried in vain to take the city last year with attacks between January and June, but were each time driven off.

By Russian account, the Germans again made a determined defense of the powerful base. The Soviets last night had reported repulse of German counterattacks southwest of Kharkov that attempted to break out of the steel ring closing in on the city.

(Three hours after the Russians claimed capture of Kharkov, the German radio reported that "operations for the systematic evacuation of Kharkov, in accordance with plans, are about to be concluded."

("All war-important installations and supply depots will be destroyed before the evacuation," said the German broadcast, recorded by the Associated Press. It added:

("The withdrawal of the German forces was covered by strong German army and armed "SS" formations which encompassed several Soviet groups in the course of these operations.")

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and planes was told by the Navy in two communiques issued during the day. The first gave the details and results of the sea and air fighting January 29-February 4, the period of the heaviest fighting.

Two More Damaged

A later communique reported another attack by American planes on a Japanese naval force February 7, in which two enemy destroyers were damaged. This wound up the sea and air operations.

In late January, the Navy said, American reconnaissance planes discovered a large Jap battle fleet, including battleships and aircraft carriers, between the Solomons and the enemy base at Truk to the north. At the same time, large groups of Nipponese destroyers and an "unusually heavy" concentration of enemy planes were discovered in the northern Solomons.

"It appeared possible that the Japanese fleet might accept a decisive battle," the communique declared.

Subsequently, however, events indicated that the enemy was only intent on evacuating some of its troops from Guadalcanal and attacking American troop transports bringing additional soldiers to that island, the Navy said.

Apparently neither Fleet wished to lock horns with the other within the reach of the other's shore-based aircraft. The heavy Jap warships stayed outside the range of Guadlcanal's planes and our main units kept clear of the enemy air bases in the northern Solomons.

Opening Clash January 29

The opening clash in the running fight between light forces came January 29, when Jap torpedo planes attacked a force of American cruisers and destroyers which were covering the movement of United States troop ships into Guadalcanal about 70 miles south of the island.

Dropping varied colored flares, the torpedo planes swooped low over the ships just after dusk. The Chicago was hit by torpedoes and severely damaged. She was taken in tow by another cruiser and later turned over to a tug.

The next afternoon, 13 Jap torpedo planes again attacked the cruiser. American planes shot down 12 of them but the Chicago was sunk during the assault.

The other American ship sunk in the series of engagements went down beneath the blows of Jap dive-bombers between Guadalcanal and Savo Island, graveyard of many other ships during the long Solomons campaign. The attack on the destroyer came on the afternoon of February 1.

During the night of February 1-2 our motor torpedo boats blasted a force of 20 Jap destroyers approaching Guadalcanal. At least one and probably three enemy warships went down before the torpedoes of the PT boats. Three of the latter were sunk.

The first Japanese ships attacked during the 10-day running fight were bombed by our planes January 31 in the Vella Gulf. The enemy force of one destroyer, one corvette and one large cargo vessel were left dead in the water "burning and listing," the Navy said.

On the following day, United States dive-bombers, torpedo planes and fighters jumped four Nip destroyers in the northern Solomons. Two of the Jap ships are believed to have been sunk and a third was left burning.

That same day, 10 Nip Zeros attacked American planes. Two of the Zeros and one of our fighters were lost. There was heavy aerial combat over Guadalcanal at the same time. At least 20 Jap planes and 10 of our aircraft were shot down.

On the morning of February 2 Dauntless dive-bombers and Avenger torpedo planes attacked 16 enemy destroyers northeast of Kolombangara Island in the New Georgia group. One bomb hit and one near bomb hit were scored on the ships.

"Forts" Hit Cargo Ship

That same evening, Army Flying Fortresses, escorted by Lightnings and Warhawks, scored hits on a large enemy cargo ship off Shortland Island, leaving it burning and listing. Twenty Jap fighters attacked the United States planes. Nine or ten of the enemy planes were shot down in the ensuing air battle, while all of our planes survived.

On the afternoon of February 4, American torpedo planes, dive-bombers and fighters attacked 20 Jap destroyers about 200 miles northeast of Guadalcanal. A Nip destroyer was sunk and another was badly damaged. An enemy destroyer was later seen burning. Jap Zeros attacked our planes, shooting down four torpedo planes, one bomber and one fighter. Seven of the Zeros were shot down and five others were probably destroyed.

Another attack the same day launched by Dauntless dive-bombers, escorted by Wildcats and Warhawks, against 18 Jap destroyers, resulted in two bomb hits on one destroyer and one on another. At least 10 Nip Zeros were shot down and probably two more. Thre of our fighters and one dive-bomber were lost.

Two Destroyers Damaged

The final engagement, February 7, in which two enemy destroyers were damaged, occurred near Rendova Island in the New Georgia group. Two and possibly three of the Zeros were shot down.

Earlier in the day, Secretary of the Navy Knox told reporters that the Navy was pressing its submarine campaign "very energetically" against Jap shipping in the southwest Pacific.

Chinese Forces Inflict Severe Losses on Japs

By the Associated Press

Chungking, Feb. 16.—Heavy fighting in five provinces of central and southern China in which severe losses were inflicted on attacking Japanese forces was reported today by the Chinese high command.

Its communique said the Japanese lost 500 men and large quantities of stores in a heavy engagement west of Nanchang, the enemy-occupied capital of Kiangsi Province. Several hundred Japanese were reported killed in another battle around Liuchishang, in Hupeh Province. In a third central China province, Hunan, heavy fighting was also reported.

Along the Burma-Yunnan border in southwestern China the Japanese also were attacking the town of Mongsung from three sides. Results of this engagement were not reported. The communique said the Japanese lost more 300 in killed and wounded when the Chinese recaptured the town of Shapingwu Monday, two days after it had fallen to the invaders.

(A Tokyo dispatch broadcast by the Berlin radio asserted that Japanese forces in central China, after a long period of inactivity, had scored "considerable success" in operations intended to clear Chinese forces from the areas of Nanchang, in Kiangsi, and Shasi, Yangtze port in Hupeh.

(Another objective of the operations, the dispatch said, was to destroy "nests of resistance" along the Hankow-Canton railway.)

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Engages in Tilt With Rep. Luce in Maiden Speech

By Robert De Vore
Post Staff Writer

J. William (Bill) Fulbright, his brian tuned at Oxford and his courage tested in the backfield of the University of Arkansas football team, stepped into the well of the House yesterday and accepted for his Democratic party the challenge of Clare Booth (Globaloney) Luce, the gentlewoman from Connecticut.

In his maiden House speech, the freshman Congressman from Arkansas, a former Rhodes scholar, called the gentlewoman "glamorous," referred to her as "honorable," paid his respects to her wit and then tore into her first speech attacking Vice President Wallace last week as advocating:

"The narrow, imperialistic policy of grab."

No Interruptions

He declined to permit interruptions until he finished reading a nine-page speech. Then he invited Mrs. Luce to ask questions. She quickly obliged, and rather than pit her womar' voice against that of the big man who spoke with the aid of the chamber's amplifying system, came down and took the opposite microphone.

Fulbright will be 39 years old next April. One day later Mrs. Luce will be 40. So she began:

"The young and very able gentleman from Arkansas has spoken rather loosely of what he calls my freedom of the air policy."

She wanted to know if the young gentleman, by his own definition of a proper air policy, meant that the United States should relinquish control of its own airports and skies after the war.

No more, he said, than should this country give up control of its own seaports under a policy of freedom of the seas.

She then called upon the young gentleman to cite a single "precise passage" of her speech last week in which she maintained that the United States should dominate the air of other nations.

His Impression

"That was implicit throughout your speech, as I see it," came from the young gentleman, who asked if Mrs. Luce would like him to read her entire speech to the House.

"You are inferring," said the gentlewoman firmly. Thus ended the first major engagement between Playwright Luce and a member of Congress.

It all happened in a new day of congressional frenzy over plans for post-war development of American air commerce. During the day:

Mrs. Agnes Waters, bitter-end Washington isolationist, spoke up as Mrs. Luce was about to begin a statement on lend-lease before the House Foreign Affairs Committee, to say that the committee ought not to be "beguiled" by the gentlewoman from Connecticut. Committee Chairman Bloom (Democrat) of New York called out "Officers! Officers!" Mrs. Waters was ejected from the hearing room.

The House Rules Committee gave its approval to a resolution to create a standing Committee on Aviation of 21 members.

Not for Strutters

Senator Truman (Democrat) of Missouri saying the Army uniform "was for combat soldiers, not for fellows to strut around in," led an investigation into the film-making activities of Col. Darryl Zanuck and others.

Until last August, Truman said, Zanuck was drawing a colonel's pay from the Signal Corps and $5000 a week from Twentieth Century-Fox, of whose board he was chairman. Zanuck, absent from Washington, may be called before the committee on his return.

Information Refused

Truman's special Senate War Investigating Committee questioned numerous Signal Corps officers at their hearing, but met a flat refusal from an officer of the Inspector General's Office to testify about a parallel investigation of film making for the army which he had conducted. The officer, Lieut. Col. John Harlan Amen, head of the investigation division of the Inspector General's office, said he had been instructed by Undersecretary of War Patterson not to disclose facts brought out by his inquiry because many had been gathered from civilians on the pledge they would be confidential.

Truman, a World War artillery captain, did not press Amen to testify, but said later that Patterson might be called.

Col. K. B. Lawton, chief of the Signal Corps' Pictorial section, praised the work of Colonel Zanuck, and testified that other producers, writers and directors, who had received Army commissions included Hal Roach, Frank Capra, Arthur M. Lowe, and Robert Lord.

Senator Holman's outburst came as an aftermath of his charge on the Senate floor last week that Government movies and a magazine were being used to further a fourth term for President Roosevelt. He arranged for a showing.

Not Asked For

At the close of a color movie, "At the Front," filmed by Army Signal Corps men on the scene in North Africa as the American forces landed and moved into battle against Axis forces—Senator Holman stood and told the audience—"You have seen something I never asked for."

At the close of the second movie—"Prelude to War," first of a series called "Why We Fight," produced for the Army with cooperation of the Research Council of the Motion Picture Academy of Arts and Sciences—Senator Holman declared "there has been text deleted from that picture." Asked for details, Holman indicated that passages that were critical of Congress had been deleted.

In denial, Col. E. L. Munson, jr., technical information officer for the special services division of the War Department in charge of the picture, said "the picture shown for Senator Holman today is unchanged from the picture previously shown to him."

Her Legs Immortalized . . .

associated Press WIREPHOTO

MAKES HER MARK—Actress Betty Grable's legs, among the most publicized in Hollywood, Monday were imprinted in the concrete on the forecourt of Grauman's Chinese Theater there. She was assisted by three lucky members of the armed services, Marine Sergt. B. L. Duckett, J. O. Buchanan, gunner's mate, third class, and Sergt. Albert Woas, of the Army

Physical Course Urged In All Schools

Accelerated, rigidly directed physical education programs should be immediately instituted in all American elementary and junior high schools so that "healthy, tough, determined" boys can be supplied not only to the military forces but the community as well, Maj. Birch Bayh of the Army Air Corps special training division told members of the Optimist Club yesterday at a luncheon held in the Mayflower Hotel.

Major Bayh, onetime head of physical training for the District public school system, declared that such a long-range physical education program should be made compulsory, for "it is amazing to see the defective health of so many youth coming into our forces and those rejected for service." Highly important to the military services, he said, would be the time saved by early hardening of these boys, now given 13 weeks training for just such purposes.

Commenting on the Nation-wide high school health instruction, Major Bayh praised the District schools for being "far ahead of all other American schools in preparing the preinduction-age boys for the Army and good, healthy living."

Youth organizations similar to the Boys Club of Washington and the Y. M. C. A. and the Boy Scouts, he asserted, should be supported to the utmost by the community "because it is in these clubs that our boys are straightened out, trained properly and made aware of their social obligations."

'Little Ruml Plan' Proposed To Cancel 6 Months' Taxes

A "little Ruml plan" to write off six months rather than a full year of taxes as the price of establishing pay-as-you-earn income collections, was placed before the House Ways and Means Committee yesterday as the second major compromise proposal of Chairman Doughton (Democrat) of North Carolina.

The plan, as outlined by committeemen, would forgive the tax for the first six months of this year. From the Treasury viewpoint, it was calculated to slice an estimated six and a half billion dollars off the tax debt of an estimated 44 million persons. For the individual payer, the plan was calculated to collect one year's taxes this year, and spread an extra half year of payments over a "reasonably short time."

In contrast, the Ruml plan would cancel the tax on 1942 income, write off an estimated 10 billion, and collect and consider taxes paid in 1943 as payments on 1943 income. This arrangement, proposed by Beardsley Ruml, New York economist, has been attacked by the Treasury as one which would give the greatest benefit to the highest income groups, and committee members conceded privately that it was "just about out."

In contrast, the Doughton compromise, outlined to an executive session, was said to have gained immediate favor. One member said that the field of choice among the many compromise proposals had just about narrowed down to Doughton's and that of Representative Robertson (Democrat) of Virginia.

The latter would forgive all taxpayers the portion of the 1942 levy represented by the normal tax of 6 per cent, and the first bracket surtax of 13 per cent, a plan calculated to get 90 per cent of the taxpayers on a paid-up basis. They would be placed on a pay-as-you-go basis by imposition of a 20 per cent withholding-at-the-source tax. Taxes above the basic 19 per cent would continue to be paid according to the present system.

Doughton's plan, similarly, would involve a withholding tax to be started July 1, it was explained. Taxpayers would pay their March 15 and their June 15 installments on their 1942 income. Thus at the middle of the year they would have paid half their 1942 taxes.

Corregidor Hero Revealed As Jap Captive

By International News Service

New York, Feb. 16.—Sergt. Irving Strobing, the 22-year-old radio operator who sent the now classic "last message from Corregidor," been a prisoner of the Japs since the fall of the island fortress, his parents revealed tonight.

The youth's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Strobing of Brooklyn, haven't heard from their boy since late in 1941, but the War Department has eliminated their fears that he had been killed. Mrs. Strobing said Irving's name now has been removed from the "Missing in Action" list.

Irving, who entered the Army in July, 1939, had a chance to remain at the Signal Corps school at Fort Monmouth, N. J., where he was known as "Toots," and become an instructor his family revealed, but instead asked for combat duty. He was soon in the thick of it, helping to make history.

Story Was Widely Printed

His poignant account of the last minutes on Corregidor, where American troops "bawled like babies" when the order to surrender came through on May 5, 1942, was widely printed throughout the Nation soon after it was released. He pounded it out as he sat at his station surrounded by dead and wounded.

"We've got about 55 minutes left," he radioed, "and I feel sick at my stomach. I'm really lowdown. Our boys are smashing their rifles now. They bring in the wounded every minute. . . .

"Damage terrific. Too much for guys to take. Enemy heavy shelling and crossfiring. They have got us all around and from skies. The jig is up. Everyone bawling like a baby."

At one point, Irving was able to ask another operator at another Pacific base to get a message through to his mother.

In it he asked his brother Joe, also in the Army, "to give 'em hell for us."

Mrs. Strobing said Joe is awaiting his chance to go overseas but at least Irving has heard of Guadalcanal.

In the nine months since the fall of Corregidor, the Strobing family has received thousands of letters from persons who read of the sergeant's account of his last minutes on the bomb-blasted island.

Brown Denies Any Intention Of Price Control Appeasement

Prentiss Brown, the new Price Administrator, declared last night he wanted to "flatly and vigorously" deny any impression that he favored appeasement on price controls and asserted there should be no surrender to those seeking to break farm parity prices and wage stabilization policies.

The former Michigan Senator, in an address prepared for delivery over the Columbia Broadcasting System, asked for the people's support of price stabilization measures and said if prices could be held at present levels the savings to the Government and the public would exceed 100-billion dollars by the end of 1943. This, he said, would be almost three times the cost to the Government of World War I.

Leniency Rumored

Brown said that when he replaced Leon Henderson as head of the Office of Price Administration, last month, there were stories "that from now on price control would be conducted on a more lenient and leisurely basis; that the bars would be let down to a considerable degree; that the Administration had given up any attempt to keep prices down."

He said that although his initial orders "have not borne this out, the impression still prevails that appeasement generally describes my attitude and policies in the Administration of price control."

"If this is a correct appraisal of the thinking in many quarters, and I believe it is, I wish to deny it flatly and vigorously," he said. He recalled that in a statement to the OPA staff upon taking office he said he had 'no intention to permit prices to rise except in strict accord with the provision of the price control law.'"

Revision Urged

At the present, he said, "We are urged to revise parity so that the prices of farm products may be substantially increased. We are threatened with attempts to break through the so-called 'Little Steel wage formula.'

"Those who would revise parity say that industrial wages in the cities have outstripped the farm prices. Those who would revise wages assert that farm prices—which means food prices generally—have shot way ahead of wages. As a matter of fact, they have kept in fairly reasonable alignment. We cannot surrender to either side. Those in charge of the administration of the law must hold to the line and I sincerely hope that the Congress will do the same.

Brown said that rationing "will become more widespread as the war goes on," but that it will "guarantee everyone a fair share of the supply available (and) price control will guarantee that you can buy this fair share at a fair price."

"The rules of the game have been drawn and drawn as fairly as possible to all—manufacturer, wholesaler, jobber, retailer and consumer," he said. "They are not perfect, these rules, but they are good rules. They are constantly being changed for the better."

He declared the rise in the cost of living during this war had been held lower than the rise during the same period of the first World War and that "you and I, the ordinary civilians, have been saved just short of six billion dollars, or $140 per family.

"And additional savings of 17 billion dollars can be made this year if we make price control a success and keep prices at current levels," he said.

"This means that by the end of 1943 the saving per family will grow to more than $500.'

5 Negro Soldiers Convicted for Arizona Rioting

Phoenix, Ariz., Feb. 16 (AP).—Five Negro soldiers were sentenced today by the general court-martial trying 27 on charges growing out of a Thanksgiving Day riot which led to three deaths and injuries to 11 others.

Four soldiers were given 50 years each at hard labor and a fifth was given 40 years.

Immediately after the sentences were announced the court, headed by Brig. Gen. Forrest L. Williford, started the trial of other cases.

Annual Tests For Teachers' Licenses Slated

Annual examinations for licenses to teach in the Negro elementary, junior and senior high schools here will be held April 26, 27 and June 10, 11 and 12, it was announced yesterday.

Also, it was reported that the credentials examination for positions as substitute teachers, Negro and white, would be held at 8:30 a. m., March 20, in the Banneker Junior High School, Euclid Street between Georgia and Sherman Avenues Northwest.

For licenses to instruct in the Negro senior high schools, 3A salary, and junior high school, 2C salary, the written examination will be conducted April 26, 8:30 a. m., in the Banneker School. The physical examinations will be held in this school on April 27, at 8:30 a. m., while oral examination for out-of-town candidates will be held on April 26 and 27 in the same school at the same time.

In the case of junior high school, 2A salary, and elementary grades, 1A salary, examinations will be held in the Miner Teachers College, Georgia Avenue and Euclid Street Northwest, at 7:30 a. m., June 10, 11. The physical examination for these examinations will be held June 12 at 8:30 a. m. in the Banneker School.

Telegraph Merger Bill Meets Approval

Senate and House conferees agreed yesterday on terms of a bill to permit the merger of Postal Telegraph Co. with Western Union.

The issue of job security for affected employes was adjusted in this manner:

Senior employes (those employed prior to March 1, 1941) may not be discharged, except for cause, for four years from the date of approval of the merger. Junior employes, hired since March 1, 1941, may either be retained for the same period of time after the merger as they served before, or they may be dismissed with one month's severance pay for each year employed.

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St. Nazaire Raid Costs 6 U. S. Bombers

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into the sea off the south coast of England," the ministries said.

The Air Ministry also disclosed that night-flying fighters shot up 11 locomotives and trains and shot down one Dornier-217 in northern France. Other communications targets included sidings, railway stations, signal boxes and tracks.

Planes returning from the St. Nazaire attack bore an assortment of holes in noses, wings, fuselages and propellers as a result of the heavy fighting, but individual casualties were described as light.

"Visibility was good and bombs were seen to burst in the target area where fires were started," said an official United States and Air Ministry communique. "Strong fighter opposition was encountered after the attack and continued until the bombers were some distance over the Channel."

Between 30 and 50 German fighters were estimated to have taken part in the battle.

Some of the American airmen described the opposition as the toughest yet encountered over the Continent, but others said it was not as heavy as that on the second raid over northwest Germany February 2.

Actor Rescues Family

Hollywood, Feb. 16 (AP).—Film Actor James Craig lifted his wife and 3-year-old son through a bedroom window today to save them from flames which damaged their Van Nuys home.

U. S. Forces Throw Rommel Back 6 Miles

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German and Italian forces "had by no means started an offensive in Tunisia. The operations were termed of only local significance.

(The Italian communique claimed that 781 prisoners had been captured in the Axis push, along with

Associated Press WIREPHOTO

YANKS COUNTERATTACK—American troops (A) gained 6 miles at Faid Pass area yesterday, Allied headquarters in North Africa announced, after acknowledging German columns had earlier made some gains near the pass (1), pushed beyond Sidi Bouzid (2), and seized Gafsa (3). The British Eighth Army (B) pressed beyond captured Ben Gardane into Tunisia, threatening the southern anchors (symbols) of the Axis corridor. Heavy black line is approximate front today

33 self-propelling guns and 23 other fieldpieces. Ninety-seven Allied tanks were captured or destroyed, the Italians said.)

Competent military quarters, describing the American counterattack, said, "Heavy casualties have been inflicted on the enemy." At least 20 German tanks were listed among enemy losses.

It was admitted the Allies, too, had suffered severe losses, but military quarters said "the American position is considered fairly satisfactory" with troops still holding high ground to the northwest of Faid Pass.

The Germans were now about 12 miles west of that pass after overrunning an American artillery position in their first dash and forcing American troops out of Sidi Bouzid.

Rommel used 100 to 150 tanks in this and a companion thrust to the northwest out of Sened. These forced the Americans and French to abandon Gafsa Sunday night to avoid being cut off.

Apparently Rommel employed the bulk of his armor salvaged from the wearing retreat from Egypt together with new units received from Italy and a part of the Tenth Armored Division of Gen. Jurgen von Arnim at Tunis.

He thus gambled heavily on the chance that his battle-wise tankmen could cut up the untried American armored forces in central Tunisia and widen the Axis-held coastal corridor before he is compelled to face a serious threat from Montgomery in the south.

There still was no authoritative report on how much American armor had been caught in the first surge of the offensive, but it was obvious that if the Allies succeeded in extricating most of their tanks Rommel shortly would be in a dangerous spot.

An American victory forcing him back to Faid Pass would threaten the isolation of his units at Gafsa, and serious damage to his tank forces would weaken him where he least could afford it.

The streams of fighting planes which were poured into the fighting Sunday soon made that clear. German supply lines suffered heavily and by the end of the first day of Rommel's push it was evident that the Germans were slowing up.

The furious pummeling continued yesterday with at least 11 enemy planes shot down in air battles and many more damaged as Boston bombers, cannon-carrying Airacobras, Spitfires, Warhawks and Lightnings engaged in continuous sweeps.

Naples was bombed by Liberator B-24's from Libya for the third time in a week. Two merchant ships were hit in the harbor and four more enemy fighters were shot down.

Southern Italy and Sicily again were targets in low-flying night attacks by other planes from Libya, while in Tunisia, twin-motored B-25 Mitchell bombers and B-26 Marauders, escorted by P-38 Lightnings smashed at Kairouan Airdrome in two waves.

These last two raids were designed to break up German dive-bomber assaults which had caused losses to American troops in the early stages of the offensive. Many bomb bursts were seen among planes on the field, chief Axis air base in central Tunisia, and some direct hits were made on planes attempting to take off.

R. A. F. Wellingtons also carried out a concentrated 9-minute raid on Bizerte.

(The Italian communique claimed 23 Allied planes were shot down and admitted that 96 persons were killed and 297 injured in a Flying Fortress raid on Palermo yesterday, and 7 killed and 15 injured in the Napoles attack.)

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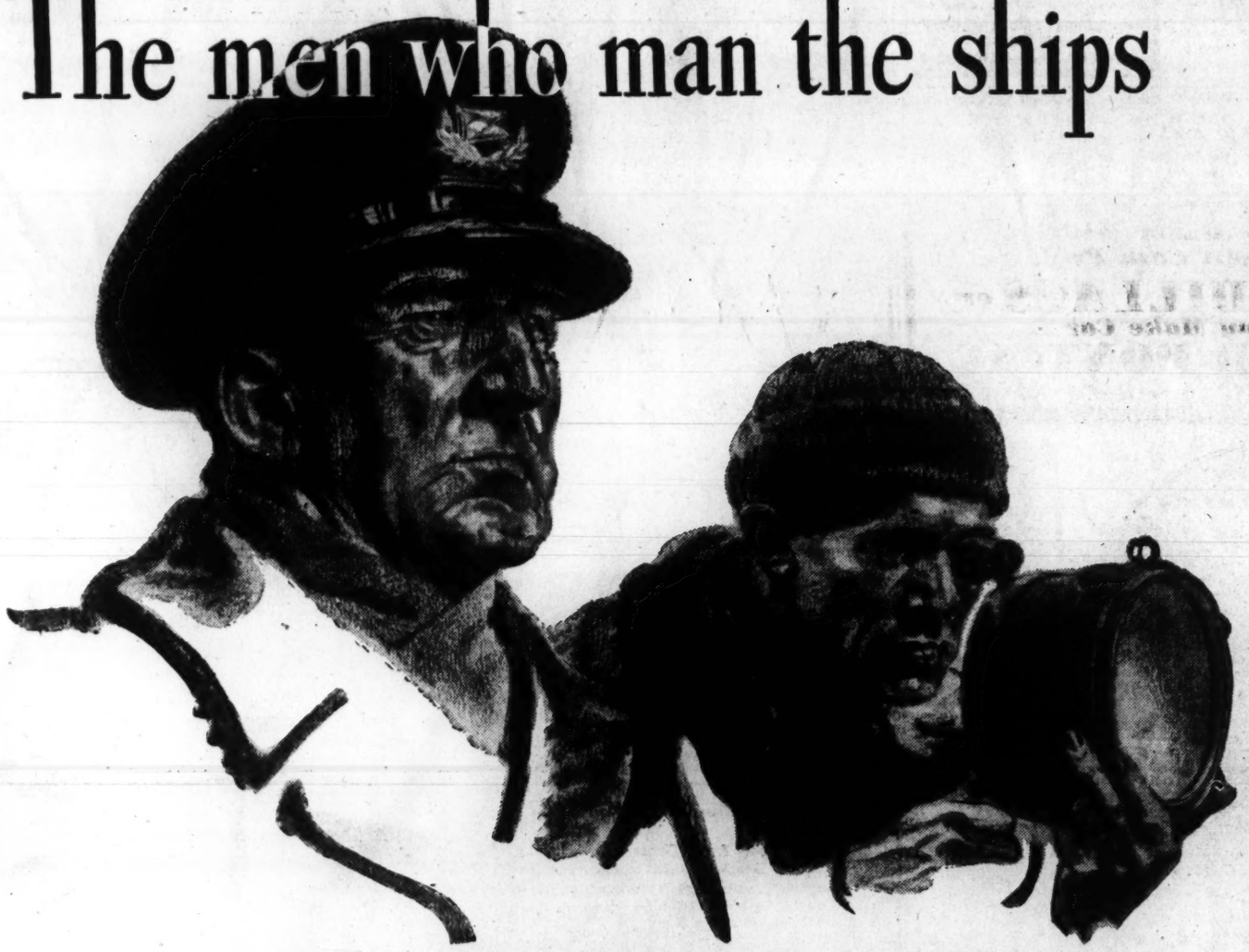

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Small Plants Assured More War Contracts

By the Associated Press

Small business, which has been clamoring for more war contracts, received a promise yesterday that they will be forthcoming "pronto" and in multi-billion dollar volume.

Col. Robert W. Johnson, recently appointed vice chairman of the War Production Board, said he has set a goal of $25,000,000,000 to $35,000,000,000 for smaller plants.

If "persuasion" fails to obtain these contracts, "we'll use the powers given us by Congress," he averred.

Johnson predicted more subcontracting pooling among plants, engineering services to help plants get started in war construction, and Government loans.

Prime Contractor

The Smaller War Plants Corporation will act as prime contractor whenever necessary, he told a press conference. This corporation, a loan agency, will expedite loans to plants which are unable to obtain them through the Reconstruction Finance Corporation or commercial banks, Johnson said. Regional and district offices are being authorized to make loans of $25,000 without sending them to Washington for approval.

"We will decentralize our operations," Johnson said. "This job cannot be done in Washington. It can only be done on the industrial front."

Acknowledging criticism of his appointment, based largely upon his military connection, Johnson said he won't be working for "two masters." Until recently he was in charge of the New York District of the Army Ordnance. He was assigned to his present job by President Roosevelt, he said and WPB Chief Donald M. Nelson has expressed an "intense desire" to carry out the wishes of Congress and give small business a much greater role in war production.

Not Taking Over

Johnson is retaining his active military status because he feels it will help him in carrying out his assignment, he said, but he will request an inactive duty status or return to active duty if any conflict arises.

Representatives of the War and Navy Departments and the Maritime Commission will be brought to the smaller war plants division to assist him, but he asserted this "does not mean the military services are taking over here."

Private Lives

By Edwin Cox

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Iturbi, in Capital for Concert, Discusses Bach and Baloney

By Scott Hart

Post Staff Writer

Jose Iturbi, fine musician and irrepressible opinionist, yesterday discussed patriotism, philosophy of life, the indelicacy of mixing caviar, boloney and Bach, and of how a spasm of boogie-woogie might be flung in Constitution Hall, were "the program adequate."

By an "adequate" program Iturbi meant an evening of woogie. It has to do with his strong opinion against mixing anything—a magnificent inconsistency because no man has mixed more things than he, the Iturbian mixtures including Bach and boogie-woogie, aviation and the esthetic arts, travel and precipitous dives into philosophy.

And, incredibly, such jarring adventures leave him calm. How? "Because I am a good administrator of myself. I travel some 7,000 miles a year, practice two hours daily on the piano," while his booking sheet reads like that of a one-day-stand circus. But he rests deeply, when possible; even writes his scores in bed. And he plans his way, each day ahead.

An aviator with 867 flying hours, he wrote immediately to the President, to Mrs. Roosevelt, to Secretary Morgenthau and Mayor LaGuardia upon the declaration of war, offering his services. But all said he had better keep on with his concerts. But thereupon, almost at once, Iturbi found himself grounded. He had sold his airplane. He could get another, to be sure, but couldn't get a motor for it. Frustration? No! There was still no priority on soaring with Beethoven.

And that's the point: It is impossible to keep Iturbi down. The commercial airlines, he said, have been tremendously good to him while in this motorless condition.

All he wants, when the war is over, is for America to be itself, he said. He thinks that every man can get a good sandwich here for 20 cents.

He will be heard at Constitution Hall tonight as guest artist with the National Symphony Orchestra, Hans Kindler directing, in the Beethoven Piano Concerto No. 3 in C Minor. The orchestra will also play the Glazounov Symphony No. 4 in E Flat, the Strauss "Der Rosenkavalier" waltzes and Dr. Kindler's arrangement of a Corelli suite. Iturbi is the guest here of the Philippine resident commissioner.

Democrats Back Move to Lift Pay Limit

By Jack Bell

Associated Press Staff Writer

Strong Democratic support developed in the Senate yesterday for a bi-partisan House move to nullify President Roosevelt's executive order limiting salaries to $25,000 a year after payment of taxes.

Senators Byrd (Democrat) of Virginia and Clark (Democrat) of Missouri said in separate interviews that they would vote as members of the Finance Committee to attach a repealer to a measure raising the national debt limit from 110 billion dollars to 210 billion dollars, a move already accomplished by the House Ways and Means Committee by a 15 to 10 vote.

"I'm in favor of ending this Government by decree," Byrd declared. "I think we ought to wipe out the executive order and then let Congress decide what ought to be done about limiting salaries."

Clark said that as a long-time opponent of the salary limitation idea he was more than ever convinced that the executive order ought to be nullified because of the Treasury's need for additional tax revenue.

"The action to limit larger salaries means a sacrifice of revenue by the Government for the theoretical purpose of punishing somebody," Clark declared. "I'm for its repeal to increase the revenues."

Chairman George (Democrat) of Georgia already has announced he would return the debt limitation bill to the Finance Committee for consideration of the House amendments and there was growing indication that the Senate group would accept the change speedily.

The House Committee attached an amendment by Representative Disney (Democrat) of Oklahoma which had the effect of pegging salaries above the $25,000 net limit to their December 7, 1941, levels.

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Roosevelt Says He's Postwar Money-Saver

ECONOMY, from Page 1.

home. Most people, he said, think that it is only necessary for Congress to appropriate money to create jobs in public works projects and the like.

But the fact is, the President said, that there must be a great deal of planning in advance—planning by engineers, architects and others. This, he said, is the kind of planning the National Resources Board has been doing, and he estimated that this planning would save the country several billions of dollars in preventing unemployment and other post-war problems.

If we are going to wait until the war is over to do such planning, he went on, it is going to cost the American taxpayers a lot of money.

At this point, the President pictured himself as a watchdog and placed the onus of spendthrifts on memberes of Congress if they let the National Resources Board die.

What started the President off was a question by Irving Brandt, editorial writer of the Chicago Sun, who asked him about the McKellar bill to take 70,000 Federal employes out of the civil service and require Senate confirmation of their appointments.

Brandt said that if there was a Senate debate on 1 out of every 100 of the appointees, and even if the debate lasted only 5 minutes, it would take 45 minutes out of each day that the Senate is in session for the entire year. He had figured this out on the 157 legislative days of last year.

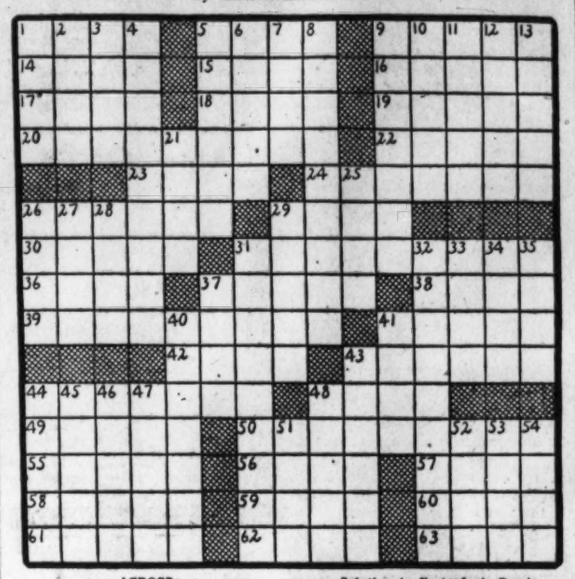
"I should like to ask you," he inquired of the President, "couldn't the Senate, in war time, be better employed."

The President said he would reply by quoting a little line in the Bible:

"Thou hast said it."

Today's Crossword Puzzle

By Charles Erlenkotter



ACROSS

1 Association.
5 Thick plate
9 Breed.
14 Behind.
15 Juno.
16 Spirit of a child: Gaelic.
17 Birdmen.
18 Appalled.
19 Pursy.
20 Obscurity.
22 Trencher.
23 "Best people on Earth."
24 Clogs.
26 Dismays.
29 Indigo dye.
30 Wampum.
31 Signature of James Whistler.
36 American Indian.
37 Choir singers.
38 Charles Lamb.
39 Herb used for wine.
41 Long-legged bird.
42 Requiem.
43 Debauches.
44 Demur.
48 Move sidewise.
49 Baptismal font.
50 Universal language.
55 Freezers.
56 Thin.
57 Pulled violently.
58 Oier incense to.
59 Radiate.
60 Masculine name.
61 Stupid persons.
62 Drives in: dial, Eng.
63 Mature woman.

DOWN

1 Pair of pincers.
2 Delicate in design.
3 American Indians.
4 Helped.
5 Cabins.
6 Inventor of dead-liest gas.
7 God of war.
8 Claret cup.
9 Plug.
10 Set aside.
11 Nymph.
12 Condition.
13 Genus.
21 Troubles.
25 Gloves: var.
26 Retired.
27 Christian part of Istanbul.
28 Twinge.
29 Motor cars: colloq.
31 Vesicated.
32 Crawfished.
33 Field of ice.
34 Italian coins.
35 Oxlike animals.
37 Lackaday.
40 Emerges from a liquid.
41 Branch.
43 Precipitates winter moisture.
44 Membrane between the fingers.
45 Strains.
46 Bakers.
47 Brief.
48 Scion.
51 Uniform.
52 Feminine name.
53 Shear.
54 Formerly.

Solution to Yesterday's Puzzle

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Wickard Voices Concern Over Farm Outlook

FOOD, from Page 1.

Secretary Wickard told the Senators that he last year requested the War Department for Army help in getting in the Dakota wheat crop and that it was turned down because officials felt the war training program should not be interrupted.

"We plan to take up the request again," he declared. "Farmers need to b egiven assurance before they begin planting that there will be sufficient manpower available to gather in their crops."

The plight of the dairy farmer is giving him particular concern, he said, because they have lost too many full-time workers "and good dairy workers cannot be trained overnight."

Supply and Demand

"You're going to have to let the price of milk go up," Chairman Smith (Democrat) of South Carolina declared. "The whole trouble is you bureaucrats think farms can be run from Washington. I'm for taking off the controls and letting the law of supply and demand determine the prices."

Senators objected strongly to the wording of a blank which farmers must fill out before being permitted to buy new machinery, terming the requirement that the machinery be shared with neighbors "an insult to the farmers, who always share with their neighbors."

"I wouldn t buy a pitchfork if I had to sign such a thing," declared Senator Aiken (Republican) of Vermont.

Secretary Wickard said his department would be glad to change wording of the blank "if it is objectionable" but insisted the machinery must be sold to farmers who are going to use it the most.

House Group Acts To Curb Absentees

ABSENT, from Page 1

amendment, made it clear that it was only the initial step to stop absenteeism "which is delaying construction of naval vessels."

He served notice that he would introduce today a separate bill, requiring all contractors and subcontractors engaged in naval work to report the names of absent workers to the Selective Service boards.

Action Likely Next Week

The boards then, under terms of his proposal, would be instructed to determine whether those absent workers are entitled to further deferment from duty in the armed forces.

Vinson said that the House probably would act sometime next week on the minor bill and the rider approved yesterday.

Johnson's new bill, however, probably will be presented to the Naval Committee for public hearings to determine how far absenteeism is affecting war production.

Vinson declared that, subject to the will of the House, the Johnson bill could be widened through an amendment offered on the floor to cover all workers engaged in war production.

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Brookings, S. Dak., Feb. 16 (AP). George P. Sexauer, 81-year-old owner of a string of 28 grain elevators in South Dakota, Minnesota and Iowa, died Sunday in Los Angeles, it was learned here today. Death was attributed to a heart ailment.

Sexauer went to the Pacific Coast in December for a visit and had been active at his office here until that time. He had been in the elevator seed and milling business for 50 years, starting at Chatfield, Minn., in 1891.

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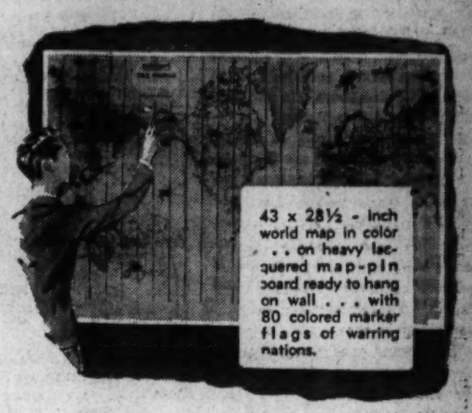
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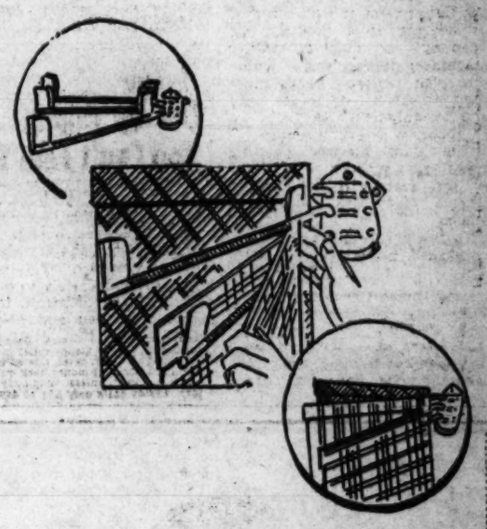

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The Gallup Poll

By George Gallup
Director, American Institute of Public Opinion

Shortages of Farm Machinery, Repair Parts Threaten to Cut Food Output, Survey Shows

Following is the fourth of six articles by the Gallup Poll on wartime problems of farming.

Princeton, N. J., Feb. 16.—The difficulty of obtaining farm machinery, parts and repairs is one of the two biggest problems facing farmers today.

Shortage of farm labor, which is being taken by the draft and by war industries, made farmers more and more dependent on labor-saving machinery. Now the scarcity of machinery vexes some farmers almost as much as the vanishing of their farm help.

One-fourth of all farmers questioned in a national survey by the Institute have found it impossible to buy some of the repair parts needed to keep farm machinery going. As for buying machinery itself, two-thirds of those who have tried say they were unable to get it.

Only about one farmer in three has tried as yet, but as machinery wears out the problem will become more and more pressing unless the War Production Board is able to ease restrictions.

The case of a dairy farmer two miles outside Clayton, N. Y., is typical of the farmer's plight today. On this 228-acre dairy farm are a tractor, a combine, an electric motor and electric milking machine.

Repair Parts Lacking

The farmer tried to get repair parts for the combine last autumn and could not. As a result, he reports that he was forced to "let the soybeans rot in the field."

One possible solution which the Department of Agriculture is considering is a program for "pooling," or sharing, existing machinery on the farms. Under this plan farmers would make their tractors, combines and other equipment available to neighbors whenever feasible.

The main question puzzling Washington authorities is whether the average farmer would take a favorable view of this scheme.

To test the reaction the Institute asked the farmers this question:

"As one way to keep production up, it has been suggested that farmers with tractors, harvesters and other machinery loan out this machinery to neighborhood farms if convenient. Would you favor or oppose such a program?"

Sentiment is about evenly divided, but the Department of Agriculture will be interested to note that as many as 45 per cent say they think the plan should be given a try, as the following table shows:

Favor	45%
Oppose	48
Undecided	7

Some of those opposed said they might be willing to cooperate if they could rent out, rather than lend, their machinery. The favorable vote would also be higher, the survey found, if a mechanic could be supplied to go along with the machinery while it was being used by neighbors.

Gasoline Sufficient

Although gasoline rationing will hamper the production of some American farms, it is apparently not worrying the farmer as much as other problems this year, such as shortage of farm labor and farm machinery.

The survey asked farmers:

"Will your present gasoline ration be enough to run your farm during your busy season?"

The results are:

Yes	46%
No	29
Don't know	25

The 29 per cent who said "No" were asked: "Do you think you will be able to get enough gasoline?" About half of them (14 per cent) said they believed they could.

Friday—The fifth of this series of articles by the Gallup Poll will show what farmers think of industry and industrial workers, the length of the work-week in factories, and whether the Government is giving industry better treatment than farming.

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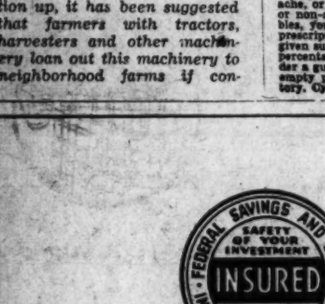

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Persons whose last names begin with the letters E to K will register Wednesday, those from L to R will register Thursday, and those in the S to Z group will register Friday.

War Ration Book No. 1 must be presented by applicants for Book 2. Adult members of the family who do not work are requested to register during the day when registrars are less rushed.

As an aid to registrants, The Post will publish Sunday and Monday the official consumer declaration form.

Bishop McNamara Ordains 172 Students to Holy Orders

The Most Rev. John M. McNamara, Auxiliary Bishop of the Baltimore and Washington Archdiocese, yesterday ordained 172 theological students to holy orders—climaxing a series of ordination begun Saturday in the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception, Catholic University.

Ordained to the priesthood were Benjamin McVey and Gregorius Figueroa, of Atonement Seminary; Carolus O'Laughlin, of St. Anselm's Priory; Joannes Toolan, Viatorian Seminary, and Edvinus Bauer, Holy Cross College.

The following were ordained to the diaconate:

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Niagara Seminary

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Augustinian College

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Carolus O'Laughlin.

The following 45 candidates were ordained to the sub-diaconate:

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The class for tonsure included Hubertus Horan and Augustinus Dooley of Dominican College; Cornelius Bresnahan and Guilielmus McDonough of Viatorian Seminary; Adrianus Dupuis and Laurentius McCall of Pallotine House of Studies.

Elevated to the rite of exorcist and acolyte were Paulinius Mess, Bartholomaeus Paytas, Daniel Eagan, Norbertus Lain and Regis Barber of Atonement Seminary; Joannes Wolf, Benedictus Butler, Martinus Miller and Theodorus Matei of De Sales Hall; Hubertus Horan and Augustine Dooley of Dominican College; Leo Morgan of Capuchin College and Alphonsus Domnick of Third Order Regular of St. Francis.

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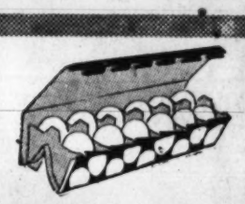

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The rancher, Walter Duncan, was held on an open charge while authorities investigated his story and the fatal shooting of Russell Cone, 37, yesterday.

In a statement to Larry, Duncan said he shot the man who captured the heart of his 36-year-old wife. Cone, he said, descended on him in a drunken state and started to beat him.

Larry said Duncan told him Cone fell in love with his wife when he came to work on Duncan's ranch. The three decided to come to Las Vegas for divorces—Cone already was married—and they put up together in the same auto court here.

Duncan posed as his wife's father-in-law while she lived with Cone, the coroner said, and even sided with her when she got into quarrels with her lover. She left for Los Angeles a week ago, but the two men continued to live together.

Duncan was quoted by the coroner as saying he used his 14-year-old son's deer rifle to shoot Cone, and above everything else he wanted to see that his boy got the weapon back. The son and a daughter, 13, are believed with their mother in Los Angeles.

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The annual observance of "past exalted rulers' night," when officers turn over their chairs to former officers, also will be a feature of the meeting at the lodge hall, 919 H Street Northwest.

The anniversary celebration here is part of a diamond jubilee program being held throughout the United States this week by 1400 Elks lodges to pay tribute to the founder of the order. A transcription of an address by Grand Exalted Ruler E. Mark Sullivan, which was broadcast over a national network last night, but was not heard in Washington because of conflicting program schedules, will be played at tonight's meeting.

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Myles Hallett, bandleader of the Cafe Caprice, is due to marry a Washington girl soon, probably in the early summer. He met her since coming to Washington and in the Cafe Caprice.

DOCTOR'S ORDERS have forced El Patio's Little Jack Little to give up his morning war bond program on the radio. Getting to bed around 3 or 4 a. m. after El Patio and up at 8 a. m. for broadcasting was getting the Great Little down. Two bushels of protesting fan letters have arrived and it's possible that Jack will soon return to the air, but during the evening instead of at the crack o' dawn.

PITTER! PATTER! An authentic Manhattan heart throb is Craig Matheus, opening at Paul Young's tonight. He's a handsome 6-footer and his fine voice rated him stardom in "Crazy With the Heat," George White's "Scandals," numerous N. B. C. shows.

Cynda Glenn has made Troika ringsiders laugh so loud and long that her engagement has been extended two more weeks. Also staying along are Tito Coral, splendid Latin singer, and those pretty minxes, the Callahan Sisters. It's a lovely show.

THE TRIPPERS. Godfrey Straub, pianist of Dave Roberts' rhythmateers in the Neptune Room, has been touring the aviation exhibit in the Smithsonian Institution for about a week. We understand that a patriotic song about airmen is now seething behind the lofty Straub forehead. . . . A. S. (Perpetual Motion) Mitchell, executive steward of Olmsted's, is back from New York, where he successfully foraged the market for unrationed delicacies.

KAY HUNT,
singer with Alan Holmes' orchestra in the Metronome Room of the Wardman Park Hotel

SHAPE OF THINGS TO COME. Mischa Bess, owner of the Balalaika, has just put a new revue into rehearsal. Can't tell you much about it yet except that it promises to be highly vivid, dashing as a Cossack charge. . . . Carmencita, brilliant Venezuelan singer, is due to join Ovando's band at Treasure Island within a week. She's been delayed by an appendix op. . . . Mayfair's Maestro Rocco Terrone will not join the armed forces despite his recent call. Astrologer Leo says the stars have told him that Rocco will never wear a uniform. . . . Eve Knight of the King Cole Room will probably be featured soon on a national radio hookup.

The Great Lester, who heads the new Casino Royal revue, claims to be the father that Charlie McCarthy is hunting over the air waves on Sunday eves. Lester taught ventriloquism to Edgar Bergen.

STRANGE FACTS DEPARTMENT. Carroll Paige, girl singer with Frankie Masters' band at Del Rio, is married to Herb Bass (trumpeter!) formerly with Will Osborne, but now a bugler at Camp Lee . . . If Tony Pastor, now at the Victory Room, ever gives up music, he'll probably turn his hand to making comic strips. He loves to figure out cartoon gags . . . Owner Louis of the Copocabana says that the stern green goddess now lowering over his bar is the Spirit of Temperance . . . Vivian Hubbard of the Hi Hat is the only caroler in town who sings in Greek. She learned her Greek in Greece, too . . . Maestro Jose Morand of the Cosmos Room receives much fan mail from South America—because his records sell so well below the equator . . . Greeter Costello of Restaurant "400" used to be a night-club singer back in the so-called "dry" days . . . That reco-reco (the big maraca with the beads on the outside) wielded by Johnny Valencia in the Mayflower Lounge was made by his mother . . . Singer Carol James of Crossroads has never been in a beauty shop in her life. (Well, why should she?) . . . The Club Louisiana is located in a building that dates back to the Revolutionary days . . . The Gay 90's building used to be a church. "Parley" Eaton of the Rainbow Room was once mad at us for two whole weeks. (It was awful!) We still don't believe this one, but Earline King of the Dubonnet Room says she's been married for 12 years. A kindergarten bride, doubtless.

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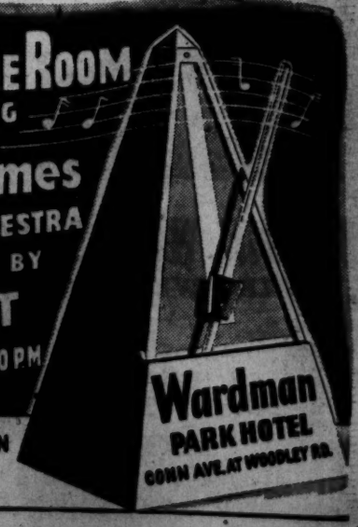
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A Message from ABE LINCOLN'S *Home Town*

Drama Of Allis-Chalmers

Dramatically pointing to the Army-Navy "E" award pennant at the Allis-Chalmers tractor plant yesterday, Don Schweitzer, works manager, said:

"We will put more stars in that flag," and then gesturing toward the American flag at the opposite end of the platform, he added, "so we can keep the stars in that flag."

This illustrates the intense patriotism which marked the inspiring ceremony incident to the awarding of the Army-Navy pennant to the employees of the Allis-Chalmers plant for their excellent service on the production front of this war.

The addresses of all who spoke, including Walter Geist, president of Allis-Chalmers; W. A. Roberts, manager of the tractor division; Col. John S. Seybold, U. S. Army; Lieut.-Commr. W. J. Eden, U. S. Navy; Governor Dwight H. Green and Ray Downey, representing the employees, were all vibrant with intense patriotism.

But the most inspiring note of the significant occasion was that of complete unity expressed in the faces, the applause and the emotion of the vast audience of men and women workers.

President Geist and Col. Seybold sounded the keynote when they referred to the address of Commander-in-Chief Roosevelt to the Congress as a call to national unity which should inspire every real American to the maximum war effort.

War energy, unity, production and the assembly lines at the local Allis-Chalmers plant dramatized so vividly in Springfield yesterday synchronize with the facts and figures presented by President Roosevelt to Congress and gave articulate expression to the fact that Springfield is in the front line of the irresistible forward march to victory.

The motif is patriotism—the inspiration is Americanism—the theme is optimism—the keynote, VICTORY THROUGH UNITY!

From the Illinois State Register, Springfield, Illinois

HERE in Springfield, where Lincoln's spirit walks the paths he trod years ago, we realize that *all* of us working together must dig even deeper for Victory. Our Army-Navy "E" could not have been won without the skillful, tireless work of our sub-contractors and suppliers. Hats off to those who passed us the ammunition, making it possible to expand 1942 production to 3½ times our peacetime production of 1939!

We, the men and women of Allis-Chalmers, have voted to adopt the "E" as our battle flag in a mighty drive over the top in '43. With the continued support of our sub-contractors and suppliers, we are striving for a 1943 goal 10 times that of 1939.

We were thrilled to learn that a tractor was the first American equipment to land on Guadalcanal. By now it may be twisted and torn by shellfire, but there will be thousands more to take its place.

That's our answer to those who said America would produce too little, too late.

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"Green" Troops

The American force that was compelled to retreat a distance of 20 miles in the Faid area of central Tunisia as a result of the pounding it received from veterans of Rommel's Afrika Korps has now retaken at least part of the lost ground. Some 60 miles to the south of Faid Pass, however, the Allies have had to abandon Gafsa, 75 miles west of the Gulf of Gabes, the objective of the Allied drive.

In this preliminary skirmishing—for that is what the fighting in Tunisia has thus far amounted to—the advantage rests with the enemy. It is apparent that in point of numbers and equipment as well as in the matter of length of supply lines, the Axis enjoys superiority over the Allies in Tunisia. It also has the asset of possessing battle-hardened veterans. Our troops, on the contrary, are still green. But too much can be made of this latter fact. Our troops, though green, have given a superb account of themselves at Guadalcanal and New Guinea, at Bataan and at Wake, and there is no reason to believe that the American soldiers in Tunisia are made of any different stuff. Indeed, one cannot help feeling that this official insistence on the "greenness" of our troops in North Africa is a smoke screen to hide tactical deficiencies for which not the men but their officers must accept primary responsibility. With very few exceptions our officers are green too—at least in so far as having any combat experience in this war.

Whatever the reasons for our failure to dislodge the Axis from Tunisia thus far, it is now apparent that we shall have no easy time of it. That is logical. Hitler's loss of Tunisia would give the Allies complete control of the Mediterranean and would open the way for an attack on southern Europe. That is why Hitler will do everything possible to prevent it. The warning that we must anticipate a lot of trouble and many casualties is not lightly to be passed over.

French Ships

The arrival in New York harbor of four French fighting ships, among them the 35,000-ton battleship Richelieu, symbolizes anew the restoration of France as a comrade in arms. For 2½ years the Richelieu and other units of the once powerful French fleet were tied up at piers in Dakar and Oran and Toulon and Alexandria and elsewhere. Many of them came to an honorable end when they were scuttled at Toulon after the arrival at that port of troops of the Third Reich. But the ships that remain—and they form a goodly fleet—are now being [illegible] readiness to fight on our side for the [illegible]ation of France and the salvation of the world from Nazi-Fascist-Japanese tyranny.

Moreover, this union of the Richelieu and our fleet is also symbolic of the union of all anti-Axis Frenchmen behind the common cause. Though there may be political differences between the De Gaullists and the supporters of General Giraud, there are no differences when it comes to their common opposition to Hitler. Thus in a public statement welcoming the arrival of the Richelieu, Vice Admiral Raymond Fenard, head of the French Naval Mission to the United States, praised the naval activities of the Fighting French. "We are all ready to cooperate, for there is only one thing we are fighting for, only one enemy. I do not know how many ships General de Gaulle has. They have certainly done the best they could. And that's what we all want to do." That's the spirit of the new France, the France that now arises, phoenix-like, from the ashes of 1940.

Meaning of USO

In a report, officials print one soldier's definition of USO—"A million acts of kindness." A soldier at camp said this: "If it weren't for the good USO's and such, it'd be an awfully dreary place." These two brief sentences are an eloquent testimonial to the success of the USO's program. We are all familiar with the many activities and facilities which the organization offers to men in 47 States, the District, and 16 other places—dances and camp shows, materials for reading and writing, etc. What we may overlook is the job these services do in preserving and perhaps in molding the characters of our servicemen. Moreover, as President Chester I. Barnard points out, USO promotes among our men respect for high ideals and religion, understanding between the races and tolerance in general. As the Army grows, so should this service increase. In the light of USO's past record, civilians will surely see and seize this opportunity for further expansion.

Cutting The Knot

Loss of faith in Mr. Nelson's leadership will be restored in good part by his decision yesterday. He has grasped the nettle firmly in both hands and released Ferdinand Eberstadt from the vice chairmanship of WPB. At the same time he has given Charles E. Wilson, who is also vice chairman of WPB, undivided responsibility for carrying out the production program. There was no other way out of the dilemma. A job which could not be split in two—namely, the day-to-day supervision of American war industry, which has now become a unit—had degenerated into a tug of war between the two vice chairmen.

The consequences of that tug of war were becoming serious. WPB itself had virtually dissolved into two camps interested almost as much in the internal feud as in the stimulation of American industry. Another compromise would have only worsened matters. Even more important than the surety of deterioration in WPB morale would have been the probability of a setback to America's war industry. Mr. Nelson's decision, however, gives a go signal to both WPB staff and American industry. Both can move forward with confidence under the generalship of Mr. Wilson. Mr. Wilson is a man of the utmost integrity, a great production engineer, an untiring worker, and a patriot with a consuming passion to see that our armies get the tools to finish the job. How well he has done his work since he came to Washington is indicated in our aircraft progress. Mr. Wilson some months ago was given charge of aircraft scheduling. The spurt in aircraft output is put down in great part to his energy and doubtless caused the Navy, which had long been guilty of procrastination in antisubmarine warfare, to turn to Mr. Wilson to expedite the output of escort vessels.

The Eberstadt-Wilson row hid the military versus civilian conflict over authority over war production. Mr. Eberstadt was the services' nominee. Formerly he served as chairman of the Army and Navy Munitions Board, which screened the contracts to war industry from the armed services. The screening became a farce. At one time the priorities issued to war industry became so inflated that many bewildered manufacturers said that years would elapse before they could cope with orders which had less than the topmost of scores of ratings. It was regimented confusion at best and when it broke down, Mr. Eberstadt was transferred to the WPB. Here he has done an excellent job in cataloguing and allocating raw materials to the war factories. But a new stage in supervising war industry has now been attained. That is to speed up production, to spread work evenly over our factories so that they are all employed, and generally to straighten out bottlenecks which must arise increasingly as we feel the strain upon our resources. It is the stage exactly suited for Mr. Wilson to handle.

The task confronting Mr. Wilson, stupendous as it is, will be complicated by the interference of the armed services. They will regard the release of Mr. Eberstadt as a rebuff. They have never been reconciled to the mandate under which WPB operates. This mandate, issued to Mr. Nelson on January 16, gave the WPB head powers to "exercise general direction over the war procurement and production program." The armed services were told to "comply with the policies, plans, methods and procedures in respect to war procurement and production." Yet in spite of this clear and specific directive from the Commander in Chief, the armed services insist on bossing procurement. And they have the money in the form of congressional appropriations for war contracts to try to do it. It is comforting that they will find in Mr. Wilson a man who takes the President's directive seriously. He knows it is impossible for him to keep war industry efficiently at work without having the final say over war contracts. In asserting his authority Mr. Wilson will deserve general support on grounds of efficiency no less than on grounds of a proper demarcation of function.

Women At Work

The eternal clothes problem seems to have pursued women into the industrial world. Increasing controversy over the attire of women warworkers in munition and aircraft plants is reported. At a Connecticut plant a dispute has arisen because women in the production line are not permitted to wear sweaters, while women office help may do so. And many plant managers are disturbed over the refusal of women workers to shed their long "glamour" bobs, or tuck them under their caps, or even wear caps at all as a protection from machinery. The industrial workers maintain that as long as debutantes and Hollywood stars wear long bobs they are going to exercise the same right. Also, some of the younger industrial workers are finding their slacks and jacket outfits somewhat on the drab side.

Industrial management is concerned over these problems. Well may it be, since clothes influence so greatly a woman's state of mind and her efficiency. And now that a Nation-wide drive is to be made to enlist women voluntarily in war industry, it would seem that something should be done about the clothes angle. This drive, we are told, is to have all the hoop-la of a bond-selling campaign, with posters, slogans and with stage and radio personalities aiding in the recruiting. But even more essential to its success would be the lure of an attractive outfit—even a uniform—for the woman warworker. For even though women's work in war industry varies, surely American designers could create a basic outfit from which adaptations could be made for the different industries, much as the uniforms of men in the armed forces are varied.

Air Sovereignty

How the United States could insure sovereignty over its own skies is a problem which the progress of aviation may render quite academic. Mrs. Luce, in her much-discussed maiden speech in Congress last week, herself made this clear, though unwittingly. She described the amazing development of aviation by showing that we are now living in an air world, not the land and water world to which we are still mentally accustomed. From our Middle West there is not one important city in the whole world that cannot be reached with 48 hours.

"Try," said Mrs. Luce, drawing the conclusion from these facts, "to tell an American pilot who has flown the towering Himalayas, the vast trackless wastes of Tibet, the deserts and jungles of Africa, and who dreams tomorrow of taking part in the great air traffic that will burst across the Polar cap—that he must be or even will be 'regulated' with reference to railroads and shipping, and he will laugh in your face." Of course, he will. There is only one barrier in the use of the airplane, and that barrier is man's own inability to breathe and to keep warm in the stratosphere. But, as Mrs. Luce said, the technological conquest of even the stratosphere is not far off. Accordingly, in her view, the postwar air policy of hundreds of thousands of young air-minded Americans is quite simple. It is: "We want to fly everywhere Period."

One might ask Mrs. Luce whether it is not conceivable that the same aim may animate hundreds of thousands of young Russians and young Britons. They might also say, "We want to fly everywhere Period." And what is there to stop them in an air world in which the stratosphere has been conquered? They could laugh at American "regulations" just as heartily as Americans could laugh at other people's regulations. They need not even go to the trouble of laughing them aside. They could simply ignore all regulations, because, with the stratosphere won, they could fly over skies unseen. In a short time the Russians, for instance, may be able to fly from the Polar cap in Arctic Siberia down the American continent without being spotted.

Yet Mrs. Luce insists upon American regulations shutting out intruders from our upper air when she goes on to plead for "the sovereignty of American skies." Sovereignty requires regulations to protect it, and regulations require policemen. So we should have the spectacle of air policemen seeking desperately to safeguard the American stratosphere against intrusion. That is a *reductio ad absurdum*. We prefer to agree with Mrs. Luce's preliminary view that any one country's regulations could be laughed at. It follows from the impossibility of exercising sovereign rights in the air that international regulation is inescapable. In other words, the thesis laid down by Vice President Wallace which Mrs. Luce was seeking to combat is unassailable. That thesis is that the air has made some form of world organization imperative. In the article in the American magazine to which Mrs. Luce took exception, he said, "Airplanes and airpower have eliminated the old significance of national boundaries. The narrow selfishness of the past will more and more seem foolish and harmful."

The air, indeed, has made us one, and the task of statesmanship is to recognize our oneness in the political plane. Mrs. Luce without meaning to do so has provided the best argument—namely, the realistic one—in behalf of Mr. Wallace's alleged "globaloney." The heat which has been engendered on both sides of the Atlantic by this controversy is a waste of time. What is needed is discussion among the Allies with a view to coming to an air agreement. We are simply foolish, as Mr. Sumner Welles has recently reminded us, to refrain from putting body into our postwar aims.

WORKING IN THE GARDEN

In the cool of the day, when the chimney swifts chattering high over the elms, darted and whirled, the man went down the rows of beets and onions and carrots.

He clipped a weed, he turned the soil against roots.

The scrape of his hoe striking small rocks talked on the evening air.

Sometimes he rested from working; he looked over the garden, over the rows of vegetables.

The corn was knee-high; its leaves curled downward like heavy hair hanging over a woman's temples.

In the osiers along the crick a catbird scolded and sang one pure song. The man listened smiling.

Like water smoothing when the wind has dropped, the muscles of his face relaxed and softened.

How many restless hours he worked into quiet here.

As on a hot day a swim cleans and cools the body, so his mind was freshened. . . .

FRED LAPE.

Postwar Proposals

By Mark Sullivan

Congress Eyes Plans

THE SUM of several steps initiated in Congress amounts to this—that postwar plans shall be considered within Congress, and made familiar to the country, before the war ends; and before any plan acquires such an apparent status as may mislead the world. This attitude in Congress applies both to postwar plans for the United States internally, and to plans for the international organization of the world.

In this spirit, several steps have been taken to set up congressional committees for the study of postwar proposals. Some of the steps overlap and some vary in what they contemplate. Some are restricted to simple consideration by a committee of Congress. Others look to having the United Nations set up a committee, limited to consideration and recommendation, but without power of action. All contemplate that all ideas about postwar shall be fully surveyed and debated, and fully understood by the American people, before the time for action upon them.

To this end, the steps recently initiated in Congress will be consolidated, or some one of them will emerge as final. The spirit animating all the steps is earnest; it is shared by practically every one in Congress, and is indorsed or actively led by important leaders of both parties.

THE CAUSES of this attitude of Congress are several. Plans for postwar are given out by many persons in America, all of them well meaning and some highly placed. These plans are watched with almost morbid attention by statesmen and leaders in foreign countries who are not able to estimate the real weight that any one plan had in America—and fail to bear in mind that no plan, involving a commitment by the United States is official and binding until confirmed by the United States Senate. Within a week an offhand suggestion about postwar, written by a newspaper columnist who neither has nor pretends to claim any authority, or any relation to any American political party or group, so disturbed a foreign capital that it influenced a pending election. In foreign countries, especially some of the conquered ones, internal factions, ideological and racial groups, watch developments about postwar in the United States with an intentness, and sometimes with mistaken inferences, that embarrass our conduct of the war.

Some postwar suggestions are made by Americans so highly placed that foreigners, unfamiliar with American politics and with our official mechanism for carrying on foreign relations, may readily misunderstand. Suggestions made by Mr. Wendell Willkie, the most recent presidential candidate of the opposition party, led to a fever of speculation by foreign leaders and publicists about a maze of chances—whether the peace conference will come before or after the next presidential election in the United States; whether that election will be won by what is now the opposition party; whether Mr. Willkie may again be the candidate of the party, and to what extent his views about postwar may coincide with the views of the party as a whole.

Especially subject to misinterpretation abroad—and hence a special concern of Congress—are suggestions made by persons high within the present Administration. Some months ago, Mrs. Roosevelt wrote a magazine article entitled, "What We Are Fighting For," in which she said we are participating in a "world revolution." Congress would like the world to understand that under the American Constitution the wife of the President has no official relation to foreign policy; and would like to understand, for itself, just what is the nature of what Mrs. Roosevelt calls a "world revolution," and to what degree we are expected to participate in it.

THE LARGEST NUMBER of outgivings about postwar come from Vice President Henry A. Wallace. Mr. Wallace has indisputably exalted official standing—yet foreigners may overestimate the weight a Vice President has in American politics and American thought. Foreigners may again be misled by the fact that Mr. Wallace presides over the Senate, the body which has power to confirm or reject foreign policies of the Administration. They do not understand that Mr. Wallace's function in the Senate chamber is limited strictly to holding the gavel and making parliamentary decisions—any attempt, by any Vice President at any time, to raise his voice and influence the Senate, would be unthinkable.

As to the merits of Mr. Wallace's proposals, most of the Senate, while having high personal regard for him, thinks much as Congresswoman Clare Luce put it the other day: "He has a wholly disarming way of being intermittently inspiring, and spasmodically sound. . . . Mr. Wallace's warp of sense and his woof of nonsense is very tricky cloth out of which to cut the pattern of a postwar world."

Pacific Plans

By Paul Schubert

Offensive Against Japan

THE WAR against Japan seems very definitely relegated to a "second fiddle" spot. Thanks to Guadalcanal and Buna-Gona, and to last autumn's brilliant naval victories, we have come to take it for granted that we are winning the war against Japan. We have acquired great confidence that we can go in and take the Japs at any time we feel free to make the Pacific war the "big" war. But there is little national sense of urgency about this task.

After the final collapse of Japanese resistance on Guadalcanal, the Navy's Capt. Miles Browning advised the country not to go "hogwild" about the victory. Captain Browning is Admiral Halsey's chief of staff. He warned that Guadalcanal is important only as an outpost airdrome and naval anchorage, and that its chief value lies in the offensive action we intend to take from this new springboard.

AS A MATTER of fact, the country took the Guadalcanal victory quite calmly. No bells were rung, nor flags hung out. Perhaps the men who won us this victory deserved to have a little more fuss made about it. Leathernecks, doughboys, gobs, airmen—they did the "impossible" as normal daily performance. Their victory was one of guts and stamina. It will leave a lasting impression on the Marine Corps, the Army, the Navy and on the aviation establishments of all those services.

The country's expectations with regard to the new Pacific offensive are also curiously calm.

We are all steamed up for large-scale 1943 action against Germany, but people are prepared to do without major blows aimed at the Japanese vitals.

The new offensive? We accept a limited objective in advance—something like an attack on Rabaul, or on one or more Japanese bases in the Solomons. Stepping-stone stuff and it does not have to go very fast, either. It took us six months to get Guadalcanal. If we got Rabaul in three, or four, or six, we'd feel that we were making steady progress. We'd still be "winning."

The trouble is that we could go on doing this sort of fighting for years, without actually bringing Japan much nearer to defeat.

We're willing to defer major action in the Pacific warfare, because of a widespread assumption that we are going to be able to drive the warfare in the European theater to a swift and successful conclusion. It's astonishing how many people feel sure that Germany and Italy are going to be knocked out of the war in this year 1943. And once they're out, of course, the United Nations will gang up on Japan, and that will put a swift end to Japan's Pacific war-making ability . . . and the world will get back to being a good place to live in.

It will be very nice for all of us if things do work out in this easy and relatively painless way.

But perhaps they won't. It's a phenomenon of human nature that most people tend to believe wars are going to be short, especially while they are going well. The Germans were sure this war would be over by the autumn of 1940. The Russians think a new front will guarantee victory in 1943. Perhaps the Japanese are the only ones who are reckoning on a long war, since they know they can hardly reach our vitals, and believe they can exhaust our efforts to reach theirs.

Wars have a way of dragging from one year into the next. Suppose luck is against us, and we don't give Germany the K. O. in 1943 . . . Suppose 1944 comes, and we are still fighting in Europe?

When are we going to go after the Japanese vitals—deal the kind of Pacific punches that the Japanese will feel? The kind all our Pacific fighting men know we must deal to win.

It's a big job. To win in the Pacific we must see that:

1. China is kept alive and fighting;

2. Russia wins vis-a-vis Germany;

3. Japan is kept out of Siberia and the Maritime Provinces;

4. The Japanese fleet is kept in check;

5. Japan is kept out of trouble-making outposts like Guadalcanal;

6. We build up a superiority of United Nations offensive strength—air, sea and land—in the Far Eastern theater;

7. We use that strength boldly, aggressively, and soundly.

About all these things there must be a sense of urgency. Japan is not only our enemy, but an enemy so dangerous that we dare not lull ourselves into a sense of security and Pacific "victory" until our steel has toppled Japan to defeat.

Letters To The Editor

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Globaloney

Clare Luce's shallow cynicism is a peacetime luxury which might profitably be dispensed with during the grimness of war.

The mischief-making suggestion that Great Britain may use lend-lease airplanes in postwar commercial air routes is a mare's nest, for the very terms of lend-lease preclude this. As for Mr. Wallace's global economics to which Mrs. Luce sneeringly alludes, may some modicum of his idealism permeate the souls of our isolationists and preserve us from a recurrence of the narrow nationalism which cursed the past peace and bred the present war.

VIRGINIA WALKER.
Washington, Feb. 10.

Representative Luce's "globaloney" talk is quite disgusting. Surely this is a very poor time, too chaotic and too serious a time, to have a show-off in the midst of our representative body of intelligent men.

Let our Representatives constructively criticize, if necessary, and give their well weighed and fully digested opinion of speeches or efforts of well meaning, honest endeavoring men like Vice President Wallace.

It is too bad for our boys to hear of such ballyhoo. Let's let them know that the real thing they are giving their lives for is something very worth while.

Let us try and get rid of such glamour - seeking, self - interested politicians and get down to some real effort and save America.

J. ADELAIDE HALL.
Washington, Feb. 12.

Patronage

Senator McKellar of Tennessee has a right to state his opinion, but somehow an observer believes he unjustly maligns the United States Civil Service Commission when in his statement before an Appropriations Subcommittee he condemned it as "the greatest patronage institution in the world."

He would have been on sound ground had he justly declared "the United States Civil Service Commission is one of the most efficient public service institutions in the world."

The Civil Service Commission is not responsible for what the Senator characterizes as "bureaucracy run wild." The Civil Service Commission simply had to relax some of its rules in order to meet the demands of new and expanding agencies of the Federal Government. It was difficult for the commission to hire adequate personnel in some cases when private industry and business entered competitive bidding of personnel. When one knows that the commission has provided the personnel demanded by these agencies nothing else matters.

The greatest patronage system in the world was not introduced by the Civil Service Commission. It was already there.

OBSERVER.
Washington, Feb. 14.

Men Without Food

Two headlines in the morning paper attract the eye, the first announcing "12,000 a day increase" for our armed forces, or 4 million more men to be inducted by the end of the year. That came from the departments of McNutt and Hershey. The other announcement was to the effect that crop output or food production will be cut 15 per cent, as estimated by Senator Thomas, following State-by-State reports from commissioners of agriculture.

This two-plus-two makes neither the regulation four nor good common sense. As an offset to forestall disaster, the people will look to the new Congress, which shows signs that it will not be a rubber stamp for the demands of overgrown bureaucracy, and the Nation is clearly in a mood to welcome this legislative spirit of inquiry, with the freedom to act accordingly.

The President's statement that America is, or should be, "the arsenal of democracy" will not be happily realized if many more millions are drafted than we can send or need overseas, or if we cannot supply them with food and munitions to advantage. This is especially so if the home front is simultaneously handicapped in serving; and this refers to manpower in both Europe and in the Orient, with tens of millions of Chinese, who are awaiting arms, and the Russians, who are getting them.

PETER PARLEY 2d.
Baltimore, Md., Feb. 14.

Milk Shortage

In case the people in Washington are puzzled as to the shortage of milk, the following record of a particular farm will be instructive.

This farm is just 35 miles from Washington and ships milk to the city. Last year this farm had 80 cows and was shipping 1100 quarts per day. Now it is shipping 800, and the man who is running it gives the following explanation and plan:

"Things are not so bright at present. Three of my men left, two to go to Baltimore to work in the shipyards and one to the Army. Have one good man in the larger tenant house.

"I have been hiring day hands whenever I could get them; but they do not come to milk the cows at 4 in the morning, and that is when we need two good men.

"I see no prospects of an increase in the price of milk. I have tried every way I know how to hire good men and keep them here, but to no avail, so the only thing I see to do is to gradually sell off half of the cows and keep only what I and one man can handle. Will have to curtail spring planting, too."

J. RUSSELL SMITH.
Round Hill, Va., Feb. 13.

The Once Over

By H. I. Phillips

Carroll Up To Date

"The time has come," the oyster said,
"To talk of many things:
Of ships and shoes and sealing wax;
Of cabbages and kings,
And why the ceilings shift so much,
And whether Brown has wings."
"But wait a bit," the oyster cried,
"Before these things we seek;
LaGuardia is on the air.
And there may be a leak."
"It's likely," said the carpenter—
he had a tip last week."

"A loaf of bread," the walrus said,
"Is what we chiefly need.
We do not need a coupon there,
Unless one is decreed—
Take off your shoes and save the wear
While we begin to feed."
"But not on us," the oysters cried—
"It's not the thing to do,
Although the OPA has gone
And okayed oyster stew."
"I think we've got to win the war,"
The walrus said. "Don't you?"

"It was so nice of you to come—
We must conserve our meat!"
The carpenter said "Ration rules
Are very hard to beat;
I am now behind by 40 points
In what I buy to eat."
"It seems a shame," the walrus said,
"To play bivalves this trick,
After we've brought them out so far
And made it all so quick."
The carpenter, a darling soul,
Then slapped on butter thick.

"I weep for you," the oyster said,
"I deeply sympathize";
Then stole the foremost oyster's shoes
And tried 'em on for size,
Holding his pocket handkerchief
Before his streaming eyes.
"O Oyster," said the carpenter,
"You've had a pleasant run,
And all within the limits set
By Gasoline Book One."
The oysters smiled and said, "oh, my,
This rationing is fun!"

—

Mussolini wishes that the bag he got into with Hitler had a zipper on it.

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It's amazing about those Russians. They do it without councils, parleys, huddles, executive sessions, special camera arrangements, de luxe radio hookups and time out to go over ideas for a postwar world.

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A Quickie From Private Purkey

Dear Editor: I got a scoop for you. Hitler ain't dead. Not all over, I mean. He is only that way from the neck up. I traced that odor. It's just the way all Axis leaders smell, even alive.

Also I got the inside dope on them Russians. They don't care if Hitler is dead or not. They don't even slow up to investigate the rumors. They wood not even stop if Goering was dead. They concentrate on one idea and that is to be sure that Russia ain't dead.

Yours truly, OSCAR.

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The more you think of the Japs, trained jungle fighters, being driven out of Guadalcanal by our boys, never closer to a jungle than the swamp around the ol' swimmin' hole or the picnic grounds at Gilholley's Grove, the more stirring it seems.

Farm Labor

May I have a word in regard to the farm-labor situation for America at the present time? It seems that the draft boards have entirely ignored the fundamental principle of food production in their speed to get soldiers to the front. What good are 10 million soldiers at the front if we don't have sufficient men at home to supply them with the proper food? Better have seven million well fed and healthy soldiers on the firing line than twice that number underfed, underclothed, and in poor physical condition.

This problem could be solved overnight if Congress would authorize (or let the President do so by proclamation) the furloughing of all farm boys who are honest-to-goodness farmers, and let them come home and work on the farm. They'd alleviate the farm-labor situation, at the same time would be at home and would work with a will to raise all the food and other farm produce that is very necessary for the successful carrying on of the war. Let the Government still pay them their base pay while they are at home working on the farm and continue to do so until they cease to work on the farm. As soon as they leave the farm, then call them back to the service immediately.

The idea of having farm-labor pools and high school children help out on the farm is very ridiculous, indeed. In most cases they would be more of a liability than an asset to the farmer, especially if he should be a farmer who used a lot of farm machinery, and most of them do in the Middle Western States.

If we had more practical farmers and less theorists in key positions here in Washington looking after the farming side of the thing, I'm sure we would not have had all this uproar in the first place. KANSAS.
Washington, Feb. 13.

In Bondage To Labor

If it is the intention of Pretty Paul McNutt to promote rebellion by putting the American people in bondage to labor racketeers he will probably succeed if the Congress is silly enough to approve his manpower bill. F. M. RUNNELL.
New York, N. Y., Feb. 10.

YOUR FEDERAL INCOME TAX

No. 37

Medical And Dental Expenses

Under certain circumstances, expenses paid during the taxable year for medical care of the taxpayer, his wife, or a dependent of the taxpayer may be deducted. The term "medical care" includes amounts paid for the diagnosis, cure, mitigation, treatment, or prevention of disease. It also includes payments for hospitalization insurance, for membership in an association furnishing co-operative or so-called free-choice medical service or group hospitalization and clinical care. Payments of expenses for medical care are not under any circumstances allowable as deductions if the taxpayer was compensated for such expenses by insurance or otherwise.

The deduction for medical expenses is limited to the amount of such expenses as exceed 5 per cent of the net income which would be reported on line 19 of Form 1040 if no deduction for medical expenses were claimed. The maximum deduction in the case of a husband and wife who filed a joint return or a head of family may not exceed $2500, and in the case of any other individuals, $1250.

Assuming that a husband and wife filed a joint return on Form 1040 and their aggregate net income without deduction for medical care is $3000, if the taxpayer had actually paid during the taxable year $500 for medical care of his family, but had been compensated by insurance in the amount of $150, the taxpayer would be entitled to claim $200 as a deduction on line 17 of the return. It will be observed that the taxpayer made a net outlay for medical care of $350 ($500 less $150) and that 5 per cent of his net income before deduction for medical expenses is $150. Therefore, the difference between $350 and $150, or $200, is deductible.

No. 38

Gains And Losses

Income is frequently affected by transactions in property held for profit or investment, or used in the taxpayer's business, but not a part of the stock in trade. Such transactions may occur in real estate, or other tangible property, such as store fixtures or plant machinery and equipment, or such personal possessions as car or household goods. Such transactions are reportable either in Schedule F or Schedule G of the return Form 1040, and, depending upon the character, are taken partly or wholly into the income account on the face of the return (item 8).

The law requires gains or losses to be reported according to the nature of the transaction, and two separate entries are provided in item 8 for this purpose: (a) Net gain (or loss) from sale or exchange of capital assets, (b) net gain (or loss) from sale or exchange of property other than capital assets.

A distinction is made between capital assets and "other than capital assets." The latter includes primarily property subject to the allowance for depreciation and land used in the trade or business and held for more than six months where losses from sale or involuntary conversion of such property exceeds the gain. If gains from the sale or involuntary conversion of property subject to the allowance for depreciation and land used in the trade or business, and held for more than six months, exceed the losses, the transactions are treated in the same manner as a sale of capital assets.

On property classified as "other than capital assets," the full amount of the gain (or loss) from sale of exchange is taken into the income account in item 8(b) of the return Form 1040, and an explanation of the transaction is shown in Schedule G.

In transactions in capital assets, such as nondepreciable property and securities, the amount of gain or loss taken into the income account, in item 8(a), is subject to certain limitations. For such property held for not more than six months, the entire amount of the net gain or loss is considered in arriving at the net amount to be shown, while for property held more than six months, one-half of the net gain or loss is considered. The combined net gain is entered in item 8(a) of the return. If, however, the result is a net loss, then the amount which may be entered is limited to $1000 or to the amount of the taxpayer's net income from other sources, whichever is the smaller. In arriving at the net figure, also, losses of this character for a preceding year may be used as an offset, within certain limitations, and the net results of such transactions on partnership or common trust fund account must be included.

It should be noted in the case of sale or exchange of property, such as the taxpayer's residence, automobile, house furnishings or pewelry, gains must be taken into income, but losses are not allowed to be so taken. Such property, not being depreciable, would classify as capital assets.

Mme. Chiang Kai-shek

By George Kao

Invaluable United Nations Leader

MADAME Chiang Kai-shek, on the evidence of Wendell Willkie, who met her last year in Chungking, is "the only international celebrity whose personal attractiveness far exceeds her advanced notices."

To be prepared to catch more than a glimpse of this personality, however, there is no better way than a careful study of Madame Chiang's own utterances — especially those made during the eventful year just past.

Nineteen forty-two will go down in history as the first United Nations year. The leaders of the several freedom-loving peoples became, in that year, United Nations leaders. Into this role China's First Lady has stepped, perhaps more easily and gracefully than most. The background and education of Mayling Soong Chiang, her untiring work among her own people before and after the outbreak of the nearly 6-year-old war—not to mention her many-faceted ability—have combined to make her one of the most valuable leaders on our side.

Uses Words and Deeds

Madame Chiang has fought this war with both words and deeds. The demand for action on the part of a person such as she is infinitely greater in a global war. Since Pearl Harbor her field of activity has extended beyond China's borders. She went with Generalissimo Chiang on his historic two-week visit in India. When the Battle of Burma was running its short and tortuous course she accompanied her husband on more than one flying trip to that fateful front. More by right of her position and her qualifications than by official appointment, she is the premier liaison officer between Allied generals and envoys and the Commander in Chief of the China theater of war.

In the midst of these vital responsibilities she found enough time to give voice to her thoughts on how to win the war and to win a new and better world. Nor has she permitted high ideals to take her eyes for one moment off the myriad duties of women in war. In the course of 1942 Madame Chiang addressed Indian women, British women, American women, besides the thousands of her own countrywomen. In person, through short-wave broadcasts, as well as by means of the written word.

She spoke in her various capacities: as head of the Women's Adviser Council, the highest organ directing women's war work in China; as the mainspring behind the New Life Movement and godmother to her "warphans"; as honorary commander of the far-famed American Volunteer Group of air fighters and honorary president of the Chinese-American Institute of Cultural Relations; as a Wellesley alumna to her alma mater and as recipient of many other academic honors.

Sometimes, she interpreted for the generalissimo; more often she spoke in her own right—as a Chinese woman, a citizen of the world, who happens to be particularly gifted.

A year ago at this time Madame Chiang was in India, where she addressed a session of the All-India Women's Conference at the Lady Irwin College in New Delhi. She spoke in reply to a speech of welcome by Mrs. Vijaya Lakshmi Pandit, Indian woman leader and sister of Pandit Jawaharal Nehru, and painted this picture of Chinese women at war:

Speaks About Women

"Our Chinese women are doing their tasks willingly and cheerfully because one cannot live in China and feel and think without being moved to action. The fact that a Japanese bombing raid kills 4000 people in a single day may mean nothing to peoples living a great distance away from the scene, but when one sees flames roar, hears bombs thud, and witnesses the horrid outcome of the meeting of human flesh and steel shrapnel, then the realities of war become very real. Chinese women were the first to face such suffering and misery, and also they have been to the forefront in carrying out measures for their relief."

After she delivered her prepared response Madame Chiang went into an extemporaneous talk with her Indian sisters in heart-to-heart fashion. "First of all," she said, "I want to tell you what you are up against, and I think you want to know. I believe you are realists, for in spite of thousands of years of our common heritage, enriched by the development of the most profound system of philosophy yet evolved by any people in the world, the people of China and India are realists. You may have to fight against a foe full of treachery.

"During the last five years I have repeatedly pointed out what sort of people the Japanese are and what they have been doing in China, but because the Western World was too engrossed in other affairs, it branded my admonitions as propaganda. Now that the world has had a taste of Japanese methods at Singapore and Manila, they are realizing that what I said was not a figment of war-torn imagination but bare facts.'

Her listeners' reaction to Mme. Chiang's authoritative account of war's devastation in China, she later brought back and told to a mass meeting of 10,000 people observing international Women's Day in Chungking.

"When I was giving them an account of Chinese resistance and the outrages of the invaders not a few of them shed tears of compassion, not of mere negative sorrow," the First Lady reported. "It was an expression of righteous indignation at iniquitous deeds. It represented the noblest and purest qualities of human nature and those qualities that are the peculiar gift of women."

Mme. Chiang also told her followers about some of the outstanding Indian women she met —Mrs. Sarojini Naidu, the famous poetess, "most striking for her accurate understanding of human life and her rich emotional nature;" Mrs. Vijaya Lakshmi Pandit, "a resolute, able, lovely, dignified person;" Begum Nawaz, who made the Chinese visitor feel that she was talking to "a woman general." Mme. Chiang also saw and made mental notes of the many Indian girls and Indian women who are unable to get an education yet who are straighforward, hard-working, conscientious and firm in such a way that I have no hesitation in saying that when they are given adequate opportunities they will certainly render valuable service in the struggle for freedom.

Calls Tigers "My Boys"

On their way back from India and Burma the Chiangs gave a dinner to the members of the American Volunteer Group of the Chinese Air Force at their headquarters in Kunming. The Generalissimo and Colonel (now Brigadier General Chennault, commanding officer of the A. V. G., in turn addressed the gathering, but it remained for Madame to top the evening as the only woman in the world privileged to call the Flying Tigers "My boys."

It was revealed by Chennault on that occasion that Mme. Chiang had acted from the beginning as honorary group commander of the volunteers, serving as their liaison officer. And it was in that capacity, with a mixture of sternness and affection, that Mme. Chiang addressed her boys and told them to put into their sky-writing the following eternal truths "for the world to see": (1) the indomitable courage of the Chinese people; (2) the indestructible spirit of the Chinese army; (3) the deathless soul of the Chinese nation.

To the hundreds of others of her American friends who have written to her asking how they could be of service to China and the world, Mme. Chiang has a simple answer: "By marshaling all your power and influence to see to it that America helps to confer upon all races the freedom, the justice and equality that America herself enjoys. You would thus also help me because this is the vision I have held out to my people."

As a practical measure to achieve freedom for all, Mme. Chiang Kai-shek sees the importance of education. In a message last year to Lady Stafford Cripps, after expressing her stanch belief in a United Nations victory, Mme. Chiang wrote: "But an enduring peace is a more difficult matter. An essential preliminary is not only the complete overthrow of those who harbor dreams of world domination but the positive prevention of any future revival of that dream.

"This should not be beyond our united wisdom. When victory is won we should see to it that the evil which has brought about the world catastrophe is attacked at the source—in the schools. If the minds of millions of children had not been poisoned in the schools of Germany, Italy and Japan their young men would not have allowed themselves to be led like beasts to the slaughter for a cause contrary to all ideas of humanity and justice."

To this pool of united wisdom Mme. Chiang Kai-shek is making a significant contribution. When she speaks and acts she addresses herself not only to women, but to all thinking persons; not alone to China's needs, but to the problems of the world. She has been most fittingly described as "heir of an ancient culture, cocreater of a new; blender of thought of East and West; cheerful and courageous counselor of a people in their sorrows and successes; twentieth century stateswoman."

Aid To China

By Ernest Lindley

Burma Must Be Reopened

SOME of the confusion about aid to China has been cleared away by the report of J. Franklin Ray, head of the China branch of the Lend-Lease Administration. A larger volume of lend-lease goods "for actual use in China" has been moved by air transport than went in over the Burma Road. But this is only a comparison between two small quantities.

LINDLEY

Lend-lease began to operate less than a year before Burma was lost. One of the first tasks had to be to improve the Burma Road and organize its traffic so that more than a trickle of goods could move over it. Thus asphalt, gasoline, trucks, and other essentials for a good road and motor transport system formed a large part of the first shipments.

When the Japanese invaded Burma, considerable quantities of supplies for China were on the docks at Rangoon or en route from there to China. Many of these supplies were used in the Burma campaign and subsequent evacuation. Some were destroyed, and some were captured by the Japs. Some got through to the Chinese.

WITH THE LOSS of Burma, other important shipments to the Chinese which had left the United States were piled up in India. A small part of this cache is being used by the Chinese troops who came out of Burma with General Stilwell—a small force which is being augmented gradually by men flown out of China by American transport planes on their return journeys to India. Possibly some supplies from the cache have been flown into China. The rest have remained a frozen asset, which could have been put to use in equipping some units in the Indian army. However, the Chinese apparently were fearful that if they lent or surrendered the title to this equipment, it would never be replaced.

The number of transport planes on the difficult India-China run is being greatly increased "during the current six months." But large quantities of supplies have to be carried solely to maintain the units of the American Army Air Forces operating in China under General Chennault. If these units are to achieve the optimum of activity and are to be expanded, still more air transport must be provided. Supplies and equipment in the volume necessary to build the Chinese army into an effective offensive force cannot move until an overland supply route has been reopened.

THE DECISION to use China as a base for operations against Japan is not new. The only questions have been: when and how? General Stilwell has been looking forward to the recapture of Burma ever since he was run out of it by the Japanese. But General Chennault has had faith in his ability to deliver effective blows against the Japanese by American planes based in China and supplied principally by air from India. For good reason, the Chinese have immense confidence in Chennault. He is the miracle man of the war against Japan. For some months, some of the most important people in the Chinese government have favored Chennault's strategy of developing the American air forces in China to the maximum that can be supplied by air transport in advance of a campaign to reopen Burma.

More transport planes and pilots are steadily becoming available. The reopening of the Mediterranean, which should be completed within a few months, will cut several thousand miles off the sea route to India. American shipbuilding is on the increase and, if the submarine can gradually be brought under better control by the second half of this year, the ocean transportation problem of the Allies will ease generally. Already the combined chiefs of staff feel confident enough of the outlook to make definite provision for China in the war plans for 1943.

Only time will disclose whether these plans include the recapture of Burma this year or whether they contemplate chiefly a more powerful aerial offensive from Chinese bases supplied chiefly by air from India. Meanwhile, the output of long-range bombers and of crews to man and maintain them is steadily rising. The fact that General Arnold, head of the Army Air Forces, was the American member of the delegation sent to Chungking by the combined chiefs of staff after their meeting at Casablanca circumstantially confirms the other evidence that, one way or another, offensive air operations based on China are going to be stepped up soon.

At most, these operations will be small in comparison with the aerial offensives against the European division of the Axis, based on Great Britain and North Africa. The defeat of Germany remains the first order of business, and every plane drawn away to the Pacific or to China may mean a delay in Germany's ultimate capitulation. But the Japanese cannot be left unmolested, and it is highly important that the counterthrusts against Japan should not come only from the American Navy and the Allied forces in the Southwest and South Pacific.

The decisions made at Casablanca appear to have allayed the fears of the Chinese that they were the forgotten ally.

'Who-Was-Who' Volume Saves Library Space

"Who Was Who in America," companion volume to "Who's Who," has been published by the A. N. Marquis Co.—a roll call of the once living "Who's" removed by death from "Who's Who."

The listing, in 1406 pages, dating from 1897, when "Who's Who" was founded, to the present includes eight Presidents of the United States and 27,447 others. The Presidents are Cleveland, Coolidge, Harding, Harrison, McKinley, Theodore Roosevelt, Taft and Wilson.

Other names, once glittering in American life, are listed, such as Sarah Bernhardt, Chauncey Depew, Anna Held, Mme. Nellie Melba, James Whitcomb Riley and Mark Twain.

"Who Was Who" was not published as a collection of interesting biological Americana, but rather for the wartime reason of saving valuable space on library shelves urgently needed to service wartime reference requirements, it was said.

H. T. Reutter Enters Baltimore Mayor Race

Baltimore, Feb. 16 (AP).—Henry T. Reutter, builder and contractor who served in the city administration under both Mayor Howard Jackson and former Mayor William F. Broening, filed yesterday for the Republican nomination for mayor of Baltimore.

He was the first Republican to file for the April 6 primaries.

Uncle Sam says: File income tax returns early.

Off The Record — **By Ed Reed**

"The council decided inasmuch as he can't sit down anyway, you may take the chair!"

Widow Left Bulk Of Polk Estate

New York Feb. 16 (AP). — Mrs. Elizabeth S. Polk of New York City is the principal beneficiary in the estate of her husband, Frank L. Polk, Undersecretary of State in the Woodrow Wilson Cabinet, according to his will filed for probate in the Surrogate's Court yesterday.

Mrs. Polk is left the residue in trust plus $50,000 and real estate at Syosset, N. Y. Included in the legacies are the $50,000 to his widow, and $15,000 to each of his five children, who, the will provides, share in the residue on the death of the widow. The children are Mrs. Alice P. Rutherford of Washington, D. C.; Mrs. Elizabeth Guest, Bayard, Va.; John M. and James P. Polk, Washington, D. C., and Frank Polk, jr., New York.

Press Conference Committee Filled

Ann Cottrell, Washington correspondent for the New York Herald Tribune, has been elected chairman of the standing committee of Mrs. Roosevelt's Press Conference Association. She succeeds Mary Hornaday of the Christian Science Monitor. Mary Mason of the National Broadcasting Co. was named secretary-treasurer.

Other members of the new standing committee are Hope Ridings Miller, The Washington Post; Jane Eads, Associated Press, and Miss Hornaday.

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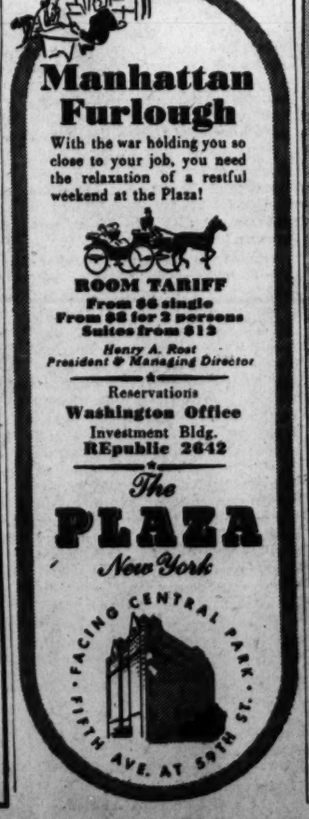

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This Morning

With Shirley Povich

There comes news now from George (Birdie) Tebbetts, the little fellow who used to catch for the Detroit Tigers. He's Sergt. Tebbetts, of the Officers Candidate School in the Army Air Force Technical Training Command at Knollwood Field, N. C., and doing very well, thank you.

POVICH

Tebbetts ought to be a handy guy for the Army Air Force in wartime. For most of his six years in the American League, he was fighting a private war of his own. He specialized in hand-to-hand battling.

The first idea that American League fans had that little Mr. Tebbetts was a tough guy to tangle with occurred one day in Boston in 1937 when Tebbetts was catching for the Tigers and Ben Chapman was at the plate for the Red Sox. There was an argument. Chapman said Tebbetts tipped his bat. If he did, Tebbetts said, it was accidental. Chapman wanted to make something of it, and Tebbetts beat him to the punch with a right hand that draped Chapman across home plate in a very undignified pose.

Tebbetts upheld the baseball tradition that a catcher is the last guy to get tough with on a ball team. Down through the years, catchers have been taking a physical beating from runners sliding into the plate and sometimes they become very irritable. As did Bill Dickey on that day in 1932 at Griffith Stadium when Carl Reynolds almost undressed him with a vicious slide. Dickey got up, and in the one punch of the battle that ensued he broke Reynolds' jawbone.

As catchers go, Tebbetts was a little fellow, not much bigger than Muddy Ruel, whose ability to stand the gaff behind the plate was always amazing. Tebbetts was always giving away weight to some lug he didn't like. One day he made what appeared to be one of the worst possible matches for himself.

That was the day when he charged Vernon Kennedy, then pitching for the St. Louis Browns. Kennedy, a 6-foot-3-incher, had been a star decathlon man, but that didn't deter Tebbetts, who sought him out in the Browns' dressing room in hostile territory and got a clear-cut decision over the big pitcher.

When Big Buck Newsom was a hero to Detroit fans in 1940 when he was winning 20 games and pitching the Tigers to a pennant, he was something less than a hero to Tebbetts. In fact, Tebbetts refused to catch Newsom except in cases of emergency. He didn't like Buck's alibiing, and anyway, Newsom was making cracks about Billy Sullivan being a better catcher than Tebbetts, despite the fact that baseball men conceded that Sullivan couldn't carry Tebbetts' mitt as a catcher.

One day late in the season when Tebbetts had to catch Newsom because Sullivan was hurt, Buck was pitching a tough game against the Yankees. The count was one and one on the batter when Newsom's next pitch was clouted for a home run that cleaned the bases. Newsom grumbled at the sign he had gotten from Tebbetts. In the shrill voice that could carry as far as the bleachers and which earned him the nick-name of Birdie, Tebbetts yelled back at Newsom, "Shut up, you big bum. That was just a lousy pitch."

Tebbetts played ball at Providence College where he graduated in 1934, but he was the property of the Detroit Tigers before his graduation. Two years before he had walked into Fenway Park, Boston, after hitch-hiking from his Nashua, N. H., home, and asked Bucky Harris for a try-out with the Tigers. Harris was struck by his work, and advised the Detroit farm system to sign him to a contract.

There wasn't much room for Tebbetts on the Detroit catching staff inasmuch as Mickey Cochrane was around as manager and No. 1 catcher, but when a fast ball pitched by Bump Hadley cracked Cochrane's skull, leaving fractures that resembled a road map, little Tebbetts hopped into the regular catching job with the Tigers.

He wasn't any immediate success, and in 1938 he was forced to share the Detroit catching with big Rudy York, on the theory that York would drive in more runs than he let in. But by 1939, Tebbetts was so far out in front of York as a catcher that York was shifted to first base, room there being made for him by Hank Greenberg's shift to the outfield.

Tebbetts will graduate as a second lieutenant next month. He figures to add punch to the Air Force.

Wilson Five Bows, 29-19, To Coolidge

Its one-year reign over public high school basketball ended on a sour note for Woodrow Wilson yesterday as Coolidge, with an impressive 29-19 victory, won a fourth-place playoff and a spot in the 1943 championship tournament Friday and Saturday.

With their decision the Colts, boasting the most improved team in the annual series, earned a meeting with Eastern in the first half of a double-header Friday night at Tech gym. Roosevelt and Tech will tangle in the nightcap, and the winners will come together for the title Saturday night.

A capacity house at the neutral Roosevelt court saw Wilson's fall yesterday. Lacking the services of Jack Ogle, their 6-foot-3 center, who underwent an operation at the last moment, the Tigers made a valiant stand but were clearly outclassed. They were taken apart by a Colt club they had beaten earlier, 27-25.

Colts Work a System

Systematic was the word for Coolidge's winning onslaught. After watching their foes miss four perfect set-ups, the Colts moved slowly into a 5-0 lead and after one stanza, were out front by 9-2. By halftime it was 14-5 and virtually the same number of points separated the teams from there in.

What little chance the Tigers had of putting on a late rally expired early in the third quarter when red-headed Bill Tanney, another of their tall veterans, was waved out with four fouls against him.

When he registered the winners' last field goal, George Bartlett grabbed scoring honors for himself with 9 points. Addie Bassin and Charley Greenbaum kicked in with 7 each, tying Wilson's Stu Brown for second.

Wilson.	G	FG	P
Jawish,f	0	1	1
Haycock,f	0	0	0
Brown,f	3	1	7
Richards,f	0	0	0
Tanney,c	2	0	4
Brogden,c	0	0	0
Keith,g	1	0	2
Huff,g	1	0	2
VanDeusen,g	1	1	3
Crowell,g	0	0	0
Warren,g	0	0	0
Totals	8	3	19

Coolidge.	G	FG	P
Bassin,f	3	1	7
Watkins,f	1	0	2
Palmer,f	0	0	0
Bartlett,c	4	1	9
Shea,c	0	0	0
Penn,g	0	4	4
Litterl,g	0	0	0
Greenbaum,g	3	1	7
Totals	11	7	29

Score at half—Coolidge, 14; Wilson, 5. Officials—Buscher, J. Mitchell.

A Throne Is Being Vacated in School Clash

Post Staff Photo

Behind the ball you see Russell Keith, bespectacled Wilson High cager, as he tumbled to the floor in yesterday's playoff with Coolidge for a title tourney berth. Flanking Keith are Jimmy Watkins (left) and Addie Bassin, who helped the Colts to a 29-19 judgment over last year's interhigh champions

Terps Top Tarheels by 40-31 Count

By the Associated Press

Chapel Hill, N. C., Feb. 16.—With Tommy Mont and Ernie Travis showing the way with 13 points each, Maryland's basketball team won its second game from North Carolina tonight, 40-31.

The victory gave Maryland four wins and four losses in the Southern Conference and North Carolina seven and seven.

Fritz Nagy, freshman one-handed marksman, led the Tarheels scoring with 10 points.

It was a nip-and-tuck battle all the way.

The visitors jumped into a 17-6 lead and ended the first half with a 19-15 advantage. Midway of the second half the White Phantoms forged ahead, 29 to 28, but Dick Hartley fouled out, and Maryland rallied to spurt into a 38-29 lead on two baskets each by Mont and Travis and one by Baitz.

Maryland	G	FG	P
Mont,f	6	1	13
Baitz,f	2	3	7
Redinger,f	1	1	3
James,c	1	1	3
Travis,g	4	5	13
Schweghols,g	0	1	1
Kinsman,g	0	0	0
Totals	14	12	40

N. Carolina	G	FG	P
Marks,f	0	1	1
Nagy,f	3	4	10
Hartley,f	2	0	4
McCashren,f	1	1	3
White,c	2	1	5
Altemose,c	2	0	4
L.Hayworth,g	0	1	1
Lougee,g	0	0	0
Freedman,g	1	0	2
J.Hayworth,g	0	1	1
Totals	11	9	31

Score at half—Maryland, 19-15.

Durocher's Draft Call Is Expected

By International News Service

New York, Feb. 16.—Branch Rickey, president of the Brooklyn Dodgers, declared tonight he would have no announcement to make on the question of a new manager for the club as he pondered the news that Leo (The Lip) Durocher had been reclassified 1-A in the draft by his Brooklyn board.

News of Durocher's reclassification was announced late today by Selective Service headquarters. The scrappy little guy, who recently signed to lead the Dodgers again in '43, originally was put in 3-A by local board 133 in Brooklyn. He will be 38 next July.

Durocher was ordered to report for a "screen test" last month in St. Louis and received permission to take it there. The report on it reached Brooklyn last Thursday and last Saturday he was put in 1-A. If he passes his regular physical he will be subject to induction.

Draft officials refused to estimate when he would be inducted, but other registrants at his board who took their exams a week before Leo were told they'd probably go in the mid-March quota.

Star Fielder To Undergo Exam Today

$35,000-a-Year Star Takes Huge Slice In Salary; Mrs. Joe To Stay in Hollywood

By the Associated Press

San Francisco, Feb. 16.—Joltin' Joe DiMaggio trades a $35,000 or better baseball job tomorrow for the $50 monthly pay of a buck private.

The 28-year-old New York Yankee star reported today he had received permission from his draft board to become a voluntary inductee. The usual procedure is to assign San Francisco inductees to Monterey before sending them to training camps.

With a smile breaking his usual dead-pan expression, DiMaggio said he had no idea which branch of the service he will wind up in.

"All I know is I'm to report for physical examination tomorrow morning at 7:30," he said. Incidentally this will break all records for the 6-foot ball pounder, who thinks nothing of sleeping until early afternoon during the off season.

Confidence High

"I'm glad this business has been settled," he said. "I'll try my best to make a good soldier and I think I'll be able to hit this new kind of pitching."

DiMaggio's decision bore out earlier reports at the time he was effecting a reconciliation with Mrs. DiMaggio a few weeks ago in Reno. She had completed legal residence in Nevada, preparatory to asking for a divorce.

After two visits there, Joe said he and his wife, former radio-night club singer, had made up. At the same time he disclosed he was making future plans which would affect his ball playing career.

For the past few weeks, DiMaggio had vacationed in Hollywood with his wife. She will reside there permanently, Joe said, with their infant son, Joe, jr.

DiMaggio cleaned up business affairs today. He owns a popular restaurant here at Fisherman's Wharf on the fringe of the Italian colony.

Status Changes

As a married man with a child, DiMaggio's draft status was 3-A but under voluntary induction, tantamount to enlistment, he was reclassified to 1-A.

DiMaggio, sold to the Yankees by the San Francisco Seals for what amounted to a "gift" of $25,000, joined the American League club in 1936. He led the circuit and was voted the most valuable player in 1939 and 1941. Since Babe Ruth's retirement, Joltin' Joe has been one of the highest salaried players.

Joe disclosed he had received his 1943 contract from the club. Asked if it called for a cut in salary, he assumed the same old refrain of other seasons by saying, "I don't want to discuss that." Anyhow, he is not signing the contract.

He said he wished Ed Barrow (president of the Yankees) "lots of luck. I hope the team brings home, the bacon this season. It is about time to start a new streak on winning World's Series."

DiMaggio expressed the hope baseball would be allowed to function, "if war conditions can possibly permit. I think everybody wants it to go on," he said.

Layden Confident Pro Grid Will Survive Rigors of War

League Head Here To Present Plans To ODT and WMC

By Bob Considine

Expressing confidence that professional sports will survive the "work or fight" edict, Elmer Layden, president of the National Football League, arrived in Washington yesterday and presented the case of pro football to Manpower Commissioner McNutt.

Today the ailing football czar will see Defense Transportation Boss Joseph B. Eastman, and present a plan of travel whereby big league pro football teams will shave additional thousands of miles of travel off their schedules.

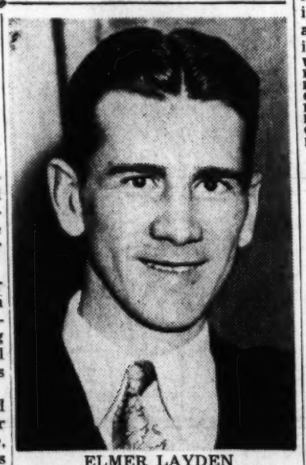
Layden, suffering from a bad case of tonsilitis and still under doctor's care, came here because, he said, "so much pessimism has been coming out of Washington, about sports, that it's time for a little optimism."

Layden will report back to league owners at the conclusion of his talks here. He declined to reveal what had been decided at the meeting with McNutt, a personal friend.

But it was reported unofficially at the War Manpower Commission that pro league gridmen might all go into essential jobs this fall and engage in league games during their weekends.

"I'd say our chances of operating this year are very good," Layden said, from his hotel bed. "I think we've got to keep going, just like everything else has got to keep going. The day we interfere in any way with the war effort, we'll stop—of course. But you can bet we won't interfere."

The league's 1942 schedule was designed to save miles of transportation, Layden pointed out. "For instance," he said, "when Green Bay went on the road it played Detroit, Philadelphia and New York in that order, making one continuous trip instead of shuttling back and forth.



ELMER LAYDEN

"We're prepared to tighten our travel even more in 1943. We'll make more use of day coaches and fewer overnight pullman trips.

Layden anticipates no shortage of equipment. "I've been assured that our needs will be easily met," he said.

Layden may see McNutt again before leaving Washington, but whether it will be a social or business call remains to be seen. McNutt was Governor of Indiana, and a great booster of Notre Dame's football team, when Layden was coaching the Irish.

Boston's $5000-a-Hit Player Prepares to Enter the Army

By the Associated Press

Boston, Feb. 16.—Baseball's highest priced hitter in history, the one who collected $5000 for one base hit, will be given his draft "screening" in Rochester, N. Y., a week from today. He is Tommy Carey, the Red Sox's utility infielder, who went to bat only once to earn his 1942 salary.

Carey connected safely and wound up the season, his fourth with the Red Sockers, with a perfect 1.000 batting average. He also was given a chance to play second base in one 1942 game and, since he handled his only fielding chance perfectly, he also boasts of a 1.000 average in that department.

Carey, of course, did much more than that to earn his salary but his backstage activities never will be recorded in baseball's official records. They consisted of participating in spring training and exhibition games and doing such pregame chores as warming up pitchers and occasionally throwing to the regulars during batting drills.

When the Red Sox paid a five-figure price to the Hollywood Pacific Coast League Club for Carey, who had had a previous major league trial with the St. Louis Browns, Manager Joe Cronin considered the deal an excellent infield insurance policy.

Carey could handle both the shortstop and second base positions but the baseball fortunes never smiled on him. When Cronin decided to resign his shortstop berth, the sensational Johnny Pesky came up just in time to gain it. And Bobby Doer always was a fixture at the keystone sack during Carey's stay with the club.

G. W. Checks Cadet Rallies, Wins, 42-39

By the Associated Press

Lexington, Va., Feb. 16.—George Washington University's cagers fought off two V. M. I. rallies in the second half of a fast Southern Conference basketball game here tonight and downed the Cadets, 42 to 39.

Geo. Wash.	G	FG	P
Koniszewski,f	2	5	9
Groetzinger,f	4	1	9
Gustafson,c	1	0	2
McNary,c	1	1	3
Gallagher,g	2	2	6
Wagman,g	6	1	13
Jackson,g	0	0	0
Totals	16	10	42

V. M. I.	G	FG	P
McIntyre,f	4	1	9
Thomas,f	5	3	13
Reenneman,f	0	0	0
Smith,c	2	3	7
Ward,c	0	0	0
Walker,g	2	0	4
Irwin,g	1	0	2
Sotnyk,g	2	0	4
Totals	16	7	39

Score at half-time—George Washington, 19; V. M. I., 15.
Officials—Waskey and Gravett.

Short Is Named Track Captain At Georgetown

Selection of Hugh Short, brilliant middle distance star, as captain of the Georgetown University track squad which will enter the N. Y. A. C. Meet on Saturday at Madison Square Garden, was announced yesterday by Father Kehoe, faculty director of athletics.

Short, competing in his last collegiate event before joining the armed forces February 25, will take part in the Buermeyer "500." He will also run with the Hoyas' mile relay team along with Dave Williams, whose individual effort wil be in the Toussant 2-mile.

As the result of last week's Boston A. A. meet, Short yesterday received two trophies—one for winning the Holland "600" and the other as the outstanding participant. The G. U. relay team was awarded a cup for the time of 3:24.1 in its specialty.

Whitey Moore Sent To Wings by Cards

St. Louis, Feb. 16 (AP).—Release of Pitcher Lloyd (Whitey) Moore to Rochester of the International League was announced today by the St. Louis Cardinals. Moore, 28, was obtained by the Cardinals from Cincinnati last season, but saw little service in the pennant drive. He started only one game.

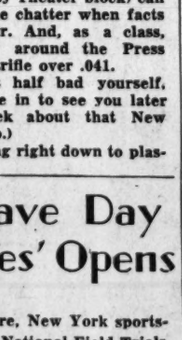
Pieces of Haight:

Pounds Says Horsemen Set Pace in Tall Story League

Marietta Park, D. C., Feb. 16.

Dear Boss:

I have listened to stories from border to border and coast to coast. Thanks to your expense accounts, Boss. I have heard many a tall tale from a short man and vice versa. I have absorbed them on the fly, too—in a California-bound plane—and in a car going to Charles Town and a train chugging toward the Kentucky Derby. I have lent an ear to yarns in golf club locker rooms, beer joints, out in the hall and various and sundry places around a bottle, and I have read them on the walls in the men's library.



HAIGHT

I have heard them and told them—good, bad and medium—down through the years. I have run into guys, in my time, who could do better than a greenhorn job when given the floor. There is no stock pattern for a good yarn spinner. Take Jack Espey, the flyweight general manager of the Redskins . . . when het up, he can tell them for keeps and piles his audience up in heaps. In contrast, there's Harry Costello, heavyweight and one-time Georgetown football star, who can beat a story until it yells "uncle."

All in all, printers aren't half bad and then there's our laundry man—dirty on Monday and clean on Thursday. Chief Guyon, one of my favorite coaches, isn't any 10-to-1 shot as an entertaining gum-beater. Jimmy Lake, mayor of Ninth Street's Boys Town (Gayety Theater block) can give with the chatter when facts don't matter. And, as a class, the fellows around the Press Club bat a trifle over .041.

You ain't half bad yourself, Boss. (I'll be in to see you later in the week about that New Orleans trip.)

But getting right down to plastic tacks (brass ones out for duration), the story telling championship in my book, goes to horsemen who gather around secretary's offices at various Maryland race tracks—Lying Fitzgerald, Dynamite Kerr, Peg Hanna and numerous others come up with what the turf gang calls "a longshot." These fellows have everything—both on and off the beam.

Here's one. I can't remember who was pitching but that doesn't matter.

The conversation switched from the entires for "tomorrow's eighth" to dogs—a natural move, at that. Somebody was bragging about the ability of his dog as a rat catcher.

"You haven't seen a dog that could catch rats," opined an old-timer. "No, not unless you have seen a mutt we had named Sparky — "One-shake Sparky," we used to call him. He would grab a rat, flip it, and there it was—dead rat.

"One winter at Tia Juana, Sparky was around our stable doing his stuff and he was earning a big reputation as a ratter. I got to boasting about him," went on the old-timer, "and a Mexican, who was training a mare over in shed row, began smiling. It seems he had a dog that he said was the champion ratter of Latin America. Well, we got to arguing back and forth. Thought I could shut him up by saying 'If you think your dog can outrat mine, then get on the line' and darned if he didn't get out 10 silver dollars.

"We made some rules. His dog was to operate around shed row. Sparky was to have the run of the barn," he continued. "We made the time sunset to sunrise. The International Championship Rat Stakes, $20 added, got underway as scheduled. Sparky was in rare form. He began knocking off rats right and left, piling them up beside the barn. Along about 11 o'clock he got overanxious and tossed two cats and a dozen field mice in the heap, but they didn't count of course.

"Shortly after midnight, Sparky chased a rat into a stall, frightened the horse and was kicked on his front right leg. I got him out O. K. but his leg was broken."

One of the old-timer's listeners asked, "Then you lost the bet, eh?"

"Well, I sent over to shed row to see how the Mexican's mutt was doing. Sparky was leading, 73 to 69, but, with half the night still to go there wasn't going to be anything to it. I took Sparky to the tack room, got some sticks and tape, made him a cast and placed him on a pile of soft straw in the corner. "I was feeling mighty bad about Sparky, but there was nothing more to do for him. Well, I must have fallen asleep. I awakened with a start and looked out the tack room door. And what a sight I saw! There was Sparky standing up to his neck in a pile of dead rats!"

A horseman, who had been all ears up to this point, giggled, "Ah, come on, don't try to tell us that Sparky caught those rats on three legs."

"No," replied the old-timer. "Sparky just stood beside the rat hole and when a rat came out he beat its brains in with that cast."

As ever,

POUNDS HAIGHT.

Little Hoyas Routed, 42-28

After running up a 16-0 lead in the first period, St. Albans School basketers swept to an easy 42-28 triumph over Georgetown Prep yesterday on the winners' court. It was the Saints' ninth victory in 13 starts this year.

St. Alban's.	G	FG	P
Elliott,f	6	1	13
Smith,f	4	3	11
Fletcher,c	2	1	5
Lucas,c	1	2	4
McGruder,g	1	0	2
Trimble,g	3	1	7
Cromelin,g	0	0	0
Totals	17	8	42

G. U. Prep.	G	FG	P
Speiss,f	3	2	8
Dillon,f	3	0	6
O'Donnell,f	3	3	9
Healy,c	1	0	2
Bourg,g	0	0	0
Scott,g	1	1	3
Wilmot,g	0	0	0
Foley,g	0	0	0
Totals	11	6	28

Georgetown Boys Beat No. 4 Boxers

Jim Binns decisioned Steve Arddini in the feature bout as the Georgetown Boys Club boxers defeated Police Boys Club No. 4 in the Georgetown ring last night. The score was 5-2.

73-pound class—Joe Collins (G. B. C.) decisioned Sammy Moore.
70-pound class—Joe Arddini (No. 4) decisioned Billy Keever.
78-pound Class—Tommy Beach (G. B. C.) decisioned Billy Maxwell.
85-pound class—Billy Nichols (G. B. C.) decisioned Tony Arddini.
80-pound class—Roland Gray (No. 4) decisioned Billy Marble.
100-pound class—Dave Coakley (G. B. C.) decisioned Ralph Jaras.
100-pound class—Jim Binns (G. B. C.) decisioned Steve Arddini.

Tech High Riflemen Turn Back Roosevelt

The rifle team of Tech High defeated Roosevelt, 1226 to 1145, yesterday at Tech's range. Stith was high with 258x300.

Roosevelt	Stand.	Kneel.	Prone	Total
Lord	70	84	95	249
Holt	81	75	87	243
Tolson	39	85	96	220
Cole	51	78	91	220
Watson	44	80	89	213
				1145

Tech				
Stith	70	88	100	258
Sands	74	77	97	248
Pierce	66	88	94	248
Rowell	57	87	94	238
Staubus	61	66	97	234
				1226

Scores

COLLEGE BASKETBALL

George Washington, 42; V. M. I., 39.
Maryland, 40; North Carolina, 31.
Davidson, 53; Clemson, 31.
R. I. State, 80; Worcester Tech, 32.
Wash. College, 47; W. Maryland, 38.
Seton Hall, 47; Providence, 38.
Pittsburgh, 55; Carnegie Tech, 43.
Columbia, 68; Princeton, 59.
Simpson, 68; Central, 49.
Otterbein, 66; Lockbourne Air Base, 37.
Bowling Green, 38; Camp Perry, 24.
Ohio Northern, 47 Ashland, 43.
Kent State, 55; Heidelberg, 47.
Ohio U., 62; Ohio Wesleyan, 50.
Delaware, 50; Loyola (Balto.), 32.
Dayton, 28; Patterson Field, 27.
Western Reserve, 65; Hiram, 42.
Norfolk Naval Air Station, 58; Westinghouse Apprentice of Pittsburgh, 48.
St. Louis U., 44; Loyola (Chicago), 29.
Lynchburg, 48; Bridgewater, 38.
S. Carolina, 47; Newberry, 35.
Westminster, 61; Erie Coast Guard, 40.
Rider College, 34; Atlantic City Coast Guard, 32.
Michigan, 37; Purdue, 24.
Connecticut, 78; Massachusetts State, 42.
Vermont, 57; Middlebury, 36.
Hampton Institute, 44; Virginia State College, [illegible].

Fairfax High Bows To N. T. S. Five, 41-38

Its fifth victory in its last seven games was recorded by National Training School five yesterday, Fairfax High bowing by a 41-38 count.

N. T. S.	G	FG	P
Chambers,f	6	0	12
Mathews,f	5	2	12
Barnes,c	4	0	8
Hyde,g	0	0	0
Goodlet,g	3	3	9
Totals	18	5	41

Fairfax.	G	FG	P
Thompson,f	2	0	4
Forsey,f	7	1	15
Moeller,c	4	0	8
Buckley,g	2	2	6
Kyker,g	2	1	5
Totals	17	4	38

Score at half—Roosevelt, 25; Washington-Lee, 8. Referee—Russell.

St. Albans Five Enters Metro

Representation of all divisions of basketball in the vicinity of Washington was assured the eleventh annual Metropolitan Tournament from February 23 to 27, yesterday, when St. Albans School, best of the local private school quintets, accepted a bid.

Already in line for the eight-team meet are the winner and runner-up of the interhigh tournament, slated this weekend; George Washington High from the nearby Virginia area; St. John's and Gonzaga, best of the Catholic high schools, and Bethesda-Chevy Chase, from Maryland's Montgomery County. A Prince Georges County, Md., team will be selected soon, with Mount Rainier High the hot favorite.

Meanwhile two important games tomorrow may furnish a line on tourney contenders. St. John's and Gonzaga meet for the second time this year at Tech gym at 8:15, and another second clash sends G. W. High against Washington and Lee on the Alexandria court. Game time will be 3 p. m.

Coolidge Jayvees Edge Friends, 28-25

With seven players sharing in the scoring, Coolidge High junior varsity cagemen took a 28-25 margin over the Sidwell-Friends School varsity yesterday at Coolidge.

Coolidge Jr.	G	FG	P
Jones,f	2	0	4
Conklin,f	3	1	7
Browning,f	3	0	6
Cannon,c	2	0	4
Weinstein,g	1	1	3
Donovan,g	1	0	2
Lake,g	1	0	2
Totals	13	2	28

Friends.	G	FG	T
Bernard,f	0	0	0
Whitaker,f	0	0	0
R.Smith,f	1	0	2
T.Smith,f	0	0	0
C.Smith,c	4	0	8
Welch,c	0	0	0
McCuen,g	4	1	9
Buschney,g	3	0	6
Totals	12	1	25

Great Bird Dogs Have Day As 1943 'World Series' Opens

By the Associated Press

Grand Junction, Tenn., Feb. 16.—A. G. C. Sare, New York sportsman whose dogs captured honors in the last two National Field Trials, will send the former champions back into action next week for the forty-sixth running of "Bird Dogdom's World Series."

Sage's entry of Luminary, 6-year-old pointer who won last year, and Ariel, 1941 champion at the age of 3, were disclosed today with the announcement of the 30 entries by Secretary Rube Scott. Twenty-five of the entries were pointers.

The veteran Clyde Morton of Alberta, Ala., professional handler who in all has given Sage four victories in the 17 years he has trained for him, will put both dogs down.

The blue ribbon is worth $1500, which by custom goes to the breeding fees and a leg on the C. E. Buckle Trophy where Sage will be seeking the second of three wins necessary for permanent possession.

All entries must have won honors in recognized field trials.

Pointers entered and their owners include: Golikal Willing Girl, Frank O'Hare, California; Texas Ranger, D. D. McDaniel, Houston; War News, Dr. R. W. Kissane, Columbus, Ohio; Way Yonder, Dr. H. E. Longsdorf, Mount Holly, N. J.; Rex Village Jake, Fred W. Sheppert, Belvedere, Ill.; Contact, G. D. Coleman, Lebanon, Pa.; Rahm Reporter, George R. Feltman, Union City, Ind.; Mercer Mill Jake, D. B. Goss, Cleveland, Ohio; Surracho, W. F. Miller, Bradford, Pa.; Doctor Blue's Beam, Glasgow, Ky., and War Admiral, Dr. T. G. Jones, Chicago.

Setters entered include: Peerless Spar, S. H. Farnsworth, Chicago.

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Eastern High Beaten, 31-24, By Episcopal

Special Dispatch to The Post

Alexandria, Feb. 16.—The outstanding victory of its so-so basketball season was registered here today by Episcopal High when it stopped Eastern of Washington, 31-24.

Scheduled to play in the public school championship tournament this weekend, Eastern trailed by three points at the half and dropped farther back as the game wore on. Capt. Tommy Wilcox led the winning floor game and also scored nine points, three less than tallied by Mac McCullough.

Episcopal.	G	FG	P	Eastern.	G	FG	P
Osborne,f	2	0	4	Deck,f	2	0	4
LeGrand,f	0	0	0	Papafotis,f	0	0	0
Sites,f	0	0	0	Lamon,f	1	0	2
McCullough,f	6	0	12	Dellinger,c	0	0	0
Tazewell,c	1	0	2	Leonard,c	1	1	3
Hodge,c	0	0	0	Nicholson,g	1	0	2
Wilcox,g	4	1	9	Winn,g	4	1	9
Goodman,g	2	0	4	Keen,g	2	0	4
				Boston,g	0	0	0
Totals	15	1	31	Totals	11	2	24

Score at half—Episcopal, 14; Eastern, 11. Officials—Doran.

Pin Highlights Last Night

Mark Garilli's 162-402 topped the Mt. Ranier Commercial pin play with Mt. Ranier Hardware and Lebowitz Tailors sharing team honors after respective totals of 588 and 1701 . . . The Ladies District League will bowl tonight as follows: Arlington at Clarendon, Rosslyn at King Pin, Hi-Skor at Rendezvous, Lafayette at Spillway, Takoma at Arcadia, Red Circle at Brookland and Bethesda at Ice Palace . . . Bobby Buynitzky proved the hero of the Arlington Church meet with 161-366, his team scoring 562 for best game as a 1563 total by Calvary Men's Class gave the latter set honors . . . Victor Levine's 168 and Kelly Beach's 395 won individual honors in the Commercial duckpinning at Greenway. Other highs were William Veihmeyer's 139-381 and Frank Werle's 121-353. Carlin Creamery and Eve Rude Beauty Salon shared team highs after pinfalls of 607 and 1699, respectively.

Yellow Mask And Krauser Head Mat Card

The Yellow Mask goes gunning for the scalp of Max Krauser, the powerful former Polish champion, in tonight's headline wrestling bout at Turner's Arena.

This one-hour time-limit match, first between these two behemoths, is due to bring out some red-hot grappling.

The Mask scored one of his most notable triumphs of the season last Wednesday when he whipped Emil Dusek in the feature tussle. If he succeeds in tossing Krauser he will break a long winning streak of the Polish boy.

Emil Dusek, anxious to redeem himself for last week's loss, will take on Michele Leore, of Boston.

Post's Consensus At Fair Grounds

LOUISVILLE TIMES (*):
1—Black Fire, Good Daughter, Materialize.
2—Haughton entry, Commencement, Carol.
3—Gramps, Sidonia, Gooseberry.
4—Her Guardian, Junior Easton, Sedgemoor.
5—Noonday Sun, Pop's Pick, Bright Remark.
6—Technician, Pelleteri entry, Shot Put.
7—Mythical King, Memory Book, Keyman.
8—Bull Whip, Roman Hero, Ardenell.
Best bet—Gramps.

LATE CONSENSUS (REVISED)
1—Valdina Rex (16), Black Fire (13), Miss Disical (9).
2—Vice-Flight (15), Ballotant (14), Commencement (8).
3—Gooseberry (20), Hillblond (11), Gramps (9).
4—Mus's Game (17), Nellie L. (14), Sticky Kitty (10).
5—Noonday Sun (18), Pops Pick (13), Moretto (9).
6—The Fiend (16), Technician (13), Tragic Ending (10).
7—Key Man (14), Star Back (13), Searcy (12).
8—Isaroma (15), Ballast Reef (13, Ardenell (9).

BENNINGS SELECTIONS
1—Hopefor, Black Fire, Good Daughter.
2—Commencement, Fisher entry, Parade Ground.
3—Gooseberry, Afghanistan, Gramps.
4—Nellie L, Mus's Game, Sedgemoor.
5—Pops Pick, Bright Remark, Okabena.
6—Coffeeman, Fuego, Technician.
7—Bronte II, Keyman, Memory Book.
8—Ballast Reef, High Plaid, Isaroma.
Best bet—NELLIE L.

Bindman Picks

FAIR GROUNDS
1—Procla, Black Fire, Good Daughter.
2—Ballotant, Parade Ground, Cloe Flight.
3—Gramps, Fair Player, Star of Paduis.
4—Nellie L., Sedgemoor, Junior Easton.
5—Pop's Pick, Noonday Sun, Moretto.
6—Tragic Ending, Louisville II, Fuego.
7—Star Back, Key Man, Searcy.
8—Isaroma, Ballast Reef, Ardenell.
Best bet—BALLOTANT.

Lions Present 5 New Faces Here Tonight

Five new faces will be introduced by the Washington Lions tonight when they open a long home stand against the American Hockey League-leading Hershey Bears at Uline Arena, 8:30 o'clock.

The Lions will be out to upset the team that has won 13 matches and tied another since Washington's entrance into the American League a year ago, although Hershey will rule a heavy favorite.

The big Bears have yet to be defeated by the Lions this season, their closest call being a 2-2 overtime tie at Hershey last December.

Outstanding among the newcomers to Washington's line-up is Herb Foster, versatile left winger acquired by the Lions from Cleveland in a trade for Lou Trudel, who has scored eight points in the local pros' last two matches. Foster scored three goals and two assists as Washington defeated the Hornets in Pittsburgh last Saturday night, 6-4, and came back Sunday night to record three assists as Washington bowed to the Capitals in Indianapolis, 6-5.

Wills Is Signed For Headline Bout At Turner's Arean

Frankie Wills, the slashing young District middleweight champion, yesterday was signed to headline next Monday night's boxing show at Turner's Arena.

Joe Turner announced that Wills is keeping his promise with the promoter and the public that he would return "in a few weeks" to fight at the Arena. That promise was made the same night that Wills provided one of the most stunning upsets of the season when he scored a thrilling 10-round victory over Al (Bummy) Davis, the highly regarded 3-1 favorite.

D. C. Amateur Fighters Will Weigh Tonight

Amateur ringmen who have hopes of wearing a District A. A. U. crown will register for the current tournament tonight at 7 o'clock at the District Boxing Commission office in the new Municipal Building. Pairings will be made later in the evening and the field will tee off Friday night at Turner's Arena.

Chairman Billy Blake last night had applications of 21 youngsters on his desk and expected to receive at least 30 more before the deadline. All contestants will be weighed and given their physical examinations when they register.

Blake also announced that National A. A. U. headquarters had been notified that a full team of District mittmen will represent the Nation's Capital in the tournament at Boston next month.

Tonight's list will include such well-known names as Dick Mullen, Pete Celinski and Al Wankowicz, all of whom won crowns in the recent Golden Gloves tournament, in addition to a squad of newcomers. All of last year's novice champions are required by the rules to move into senior ranks and at least one, Flyweight Jimmy Caraway, who also won a Golden Gloves title, has proved that he can successfully cope with faster competition.

Western Quint Upsets Cadets

Basketers of Western High took advantage of a ragged St. John's effort yesterday to chalk up a stunning 33-30 upset at the Raider court. The Johnnies led, 5-4, after one period but quickly fell behind and stayed there.

Western.	G	FG	P	St. John's.	G	FG	P
Love,f	2	2	6	Thompson,f	2	1	5
Harlow,f	2	2	6	Hughes,f	5	1	11
Fraley,c	6	1	13	Dudley,c	2	1	5
Beatty,g	4	0	8	McCarthy,g	3	1	7
Wacker,g	0	0	0	Hassett,g	1	0	2
				Rhodes,g	0	0	0
Totals	14	5	33	Totals	13	4	30

Score at half—Western, 17; St. John's, 11. Official—Buscher.

Fairgrounds Entries and Results

By the Associated Press

FIRST RACE — One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $800; claiming; 3-year-olds.
Paddywhack ....108 *Black Fire 110
Materialize .....116 Procla 111
Dr. Gallop .....113 *Miss Disical 106
Valdina Rex ....113 Good Daughter ..115
*Hope For .....108 *Doctor Jackie ..108
*Liberty Ite 108

SECOND RACE — One and one-eighth miles; purse, $800; claiming; 4-year-olds and upward.
*Don Moss .....110 Up Jack 113
*†Trapeze Artist 112 *Mi Secret 109
†Ballotant .....117 *Principal One ..108
*Cloe-Flight ....113 Beausar 117
*Money Hill ....114 Commencement ..110
*Parade Ground 110 Michigan Sun 115
Valdina Captor ..113 Cazot 122
†Mrs. R. Fisher and Mrs. E. Haughton entry.

THIRD RACE — One and one-eighth miles; purse, $800; claiming; 4-year-olds and upward.
Constant Aim ..120 Sidonia 120
*Hillblond .....108 *Star of Paduis ..117
*Fair Player ....115 Gooseberry 122
Gramps .....118 *Afghanistan 113
*Azimuth 111

FOURTH RACE — One mile and 70 yards; purse, $900; allowances; 3-year-olds.
*Sedgemoor ....116 *Pearl Harbor ..116
Mus's Game ....118 *Her Guardian ..121
Nellie L. .....118 Sticky Kitty 114
*J. Lee Greenock 114 *Junior Easton ..114

FIFTH RACE—One mile and 70 yards; purse, $1500; St. Bernard Handicap; 3-year-olds.
*Noonday Sun ..109 Okabena 114
Moretto .....114 Pop's Pick 124
Bright Remark ..124

SIXTH RACE — One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $3000 added; Fair Grounds Claiming Stakes; 4-year-olds and upward.
Plantagenet ....114 Fuego 114
Designator .....116 †The Fiend 116
†Louisville II ...114 Moon Maiden ...116
Technician .....116 Tragic Ending ...116
Sickle T. .....116 Coffeeman 116
Shot Put 116
†A. Pelleteri and Mrs. A. Pelleteri entry.

SEVENTH RACE—One and one-quarter miles; purse $800; claiming; 4-year-olds and upward.
Memory Book ..118 *Plucky Muffin ..115
*Bronte II .....110 *Sweet Olga 103
*Keyman .....113 *Yannie Sid 117
*Star Back .....110 *Armor Bearer ..117
*Mythical King 110 Searcy 116

EIGHTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $800; claiming; 4-year-olds and upward.
*Alphabow .....103 Belmar Haste ...115
*High Plaid .....112 *Uvalde 114
*Roman Hero .....112 Ho Hung 115
*Three Bangs ..110 Ballast Reef 119
Ardenell .....119 Formation 119
†Buckle Up .....115 †Cosine 115
*Bolute .....110 *Highomar 114
*Isaroma .....112 *Bull Whip 114
*Lumiere .....117 Carlade 112
†J. H. Miles and Mrs. B. Lessler entry.
*Apprentice allowance claimed.
Track fast.

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $800; allowances; for maiden 3-year-olds.
Valdina Phao, 120 (Zufelt) 3.20 2.20 2.20
Nedco, 120 (Garza) 3.00 3.20
Cee Lot, 115 (Barney) 8.60
Cavalard, Rosesle Dreams, Flying Kiev, Vollivee, Hawkwood Deper, Grand Gumbo, Baster Street also ran. Time, 1:13⅘.

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $800; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.
Scarlet Insco, 110 (Skorenski) 9.80 3.00 2.20
Quatre Belle, 105 (Murphy) 2.20 2.20
Tide's Dream, 108 (Clingman) 2.20
Sweet Shop, Straw Basket, Kind Gesture, My Crest, Carry Cash, Spanish Belle, American Bride also ran. Time, 1:13⅘.

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THIRD RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $800; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.
La Jocande, 112 (Eads) 4.20 3.00 2.60
Manawald, 107 (Murphy) 4.20 3.80
Optimal, 121 (Hauer) 3.20
Hanid, Dennis P., Wise Decision, Fairgals, *Stepsome, *New Englander, Mr. Secretary, *The Dancer, Joss Stick also ran. Time, 1:13⅘.

FOURTH RACE—Two furlongs; purse, $1000; claiming; for 2-year-olds.
Sweeping Ahead, 122 (Hauer) 18.60 9.80 4.20
Green Belle, 116 (McCoy) 6.00 3.20
Smart Sheila, 114 (Eccard) 3.20
East Mart, Solid Sender, Chevalet, Chain Lay, New Frontier, *Count Foray, *Duke C., *Sir Lo, Kings Mount also ran. Time, 0:23⅘.

FIFTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $800; claiming; for 4-year-olds.
Barnegat, 117 (Skelly) 11.40 4.60 3.40
Hattie Belle, 105 (Barney) 3.40 2.40
Mad Bunny, 110 (Brooks) 4.00
Auld Lang Syne, Riposte, Keene Advice also ran. Time, 1:48⅘.

SIXTH RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $3000 added; Rapides Handicap; for 4-year-olds.
Porters Cap, 110 (Haskell) 14.60 7.20 2.40
Pompion, 114 (Eads) 3.60 2.20
Signator, 124 (Scurlock) 2.20
Zaca Gray, Vinum also ran. Time, 1:12.

SEVENTH RACE—One mile and 70 yards; purse, $800; claiming; for 3-year-olds
Zac's Gal, 110 (Brooks) 9.00 3.40 4.00
Picture Flag, 103 (Barney) 5.80 6.40
Red Ted, 115 (Hauer) 4.60
Venture Girl, *Crosslands, La Riche, Be Sweet, *Be Impudent, Orange Leaves, *Hydate, Fisher's Pet, Delayed also ran.

EIGHTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $800; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.
Broiler, 117 (Young) 6.60 3.80 2.80
Hadatime, 113 (Brooks) 9.20 5.60
Firing Pin, 115 (Lowe) 3.60
Curiosa, Brutus, Nicabe, Flourtown, *Gay Trace, *Cannon's Banner, Lustrous, *Minotaur, American Bride also ran. Time, 1:49 4-5. *Field.

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By Lichty

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Funeral Services Arranged Friday For Adm. Fenner

Funeral services for Rear Admiral Edward B. Fenner, United States Navy, retired, who died last Saturday at his home in Seattle, Wash., will be held at 2 p. m. Friday in Fort Myer Chapel. Capt. R. D. Workman, chief of Navy chaplains, will conduct the services. Burial with military honors will take place in Arlington Cemetery.

Honorary pallbearers will be Vice Admiral Alfred Johnson, Rear Admiral William T. Tarrant, Rear Admiral Adolphus E. Watson, Capt. Frank Pinney, Capt. Paul Haines, all retired, and Commander William G. Lalor.

Admiral Fenner, 66, was born in Rochester, N. Y., and was graduated from the Naval Academy in 1901. During his tours of duty he commanded cruisers and cruiser divisions and served as commandant of four naval districts. He was retired in 1940.

Rites Tomorrow For Frank Tabel

Funeral services for Frank Tabel, 52, architectural engineer at the War Department, will be held in New York tomorrow, followed by burial in Brooklyn, N. Y. Preliminary services were held here last night at the James T. Ryan funeral home, 317 Pennsylvania Avenue Southeast.

A resident of Washington 20 years, Mr. Tabel died Monday at his home, 3100 Connecticut Avenue, after a short illness. He was born in New York City and educated at Pratt Institute there and the University of Pennsylvania. He was an evaluation engineer with the Interstate Commerce Commission here 16 years before going into the War Department. His wife, Ann K. Tabel, survives.

R. V. Billington Dies; Education Official

Ronald V. Billington, 48, executive assistant to the United States Office of Education, died unexpectedly last night of a heart attack at his home, 1601 North Danville Street, Arlington.

Mr. Billington is survived by his wife and three daughters.

James S. Kiely's Rites Tomorrow

Funeral services for James S. Kiely, 60, Washington resident 58 years, will be held at his home, 5417 Sherrier Place Northwest, tomorrow at 9:15 a. m., followed by mass at 10 a. m. at Our Lady of Victory Church, Conduit and Reservoir Roads Northwest. Burial will be in Cedar Hill Cemetery.

Mr. Kiely, a mechanic for Capital Transit Co. 41 years, fell dead in a drug store Monday. He was born in Ireland and came to this country with his parents when he was 2 years old. He was a member of the Holy Name Society, Ushers Society and St. Vincent de Paul's Society at Our Lady of Victory Church. Surviving are his wife, Celestine L. Kiely, and two daughters, Mrs. Edith C. Witkosky and Miss Mae C. Kiely, all of Washington.

Marylander Meets Friend on Tiny Isle

Special Dispatch to The Post

Hagerstown, Md., Feb. 16.—Maj. Joshua Messersmith of Hagerstown dropped in on a one-palm isle in the South Pacific recently after a 16-hour routine flight out of Honolulu. To his surprise one of the first persons he ran into was Gordon Starr, former local school physical instructor, a Red Cross official, according to a letter received by Messersmith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James W. Messersmith.

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Many Students in D.C. Colleges Being Called as Reservists

Students in the enlisted reserve of local universities are receiving orders to report for active duty in ever-increasing numbers.

Fifteen members of the Reserve at Howard University have received orders to report February 26 and 4 enlisted Reserves are among 17 students ordered to report for Officers Candidate School March 18.

The remainder of the 131 enlisted Reserve at Howard are expected to be called to active duty by March 16, the end of the quarter.

Eighty-four University of Maryland students in the Reserve have received orders to report for active duty, one group February 26 and another February 27. Orders for approximately 300 remaining Reserves are expected this week.

At George Washington University out of 40 enlisted Reserve 25 have received their orders to report for active duty, 18 of these on February 23. The remainder will probably not be called before June, college authorities stated.

Thomas Younger Funeral Services Scheduled Today

Funeral services for Thomas J. Younger, 70, clerk with the Maryland State Tobacco Warehouse in Baltimore 35 years and resident of this city seven years, will be held at 1 p. m. today at Fort Myer Chapel. Burial will be in Arlington Cemetery.

Mr. Younger, who died Monday at Walter Reed Hospital, retired about a year ago due to illness. For six years he commuted to his work in Baltimore from here. He enlisted with the Fifth Maryland Regiment during the Spanish American War but did not serve outside the country.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Bessie J. Younger, 2728 Minnesota Avenue Southeast; and four sons, Richard Z. Younger of Solomons, Md.; Julian H. Younger of Washington; Sergt. Leftwich A. Younger, stationed at New York, and Thomas E. Younger, United States Army, stationed at Camp Van Dorn, Miss.

Col. Van Vliet Dies; Ex-Army Tennis Ace

Hot Springs, Ark., Feb. 16 (AP).—Col. Robert Campbell Van Vliet, 49, World War veteran and former Army tennis champion, died today at the Army-Navy General Hospital here.

Colonel Van Vliet was stationed at the Breckenridge, Ky., Army post when he became ill two months ago. He was Army tennis champion from 1924-30, and taught military science at the University of California from 1938-40. He was a graduate of West Point.

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A. T. & T. Vote On Dividend Waited Today

Unusual interest attaches to today's meeting of American Telephone & Telegraph Co. directors for dividend action in view of the effect on earnings of increased taxes and the recent cut in long distance telephone rates ordered by the Federal Communications Commission.

Since 1922 the company has paid dividends to stockholders at the rate of $9 a share annually, but a year or so ago Wall Street financial circles began to discuss the possibility of a cut in disbursements because of the tax situation.

This year's earnings of the big communications company were estimated to be running somewhat under dividend requirements. But, as against this factor, financial quarters cited the company's strong financial position and the probability that it would not be required to raise any new money for capital purposes this year. The company has large cash reserves.

Business Briefs Of D. C. Interest

Regular Woodward Dividends

Directors of Woodward & Lothrop, local department store, declared regular quarterly dividends of 50 cents a share on common stock and $1.75 a share on preferred stock. Both dividends are payable March 29 to stockholders of record March 17.

Local Gas Sales Gain 8.6 Per Cent

January sales of the Washington Gas Light Co. toaled 2,201,131 m. c. f. (1000 cubic feet) a gain of 176,764 or 8.6 per cent over the same last year.

Mutual Life Assets at Peak

Assets of the Mutual Life Insurance Co. of New York reached a new high at $1,587,529,495 in 1942, an increase of $45,577,000 in the year, Vice President Alexander E. Patterson announced yesterday.

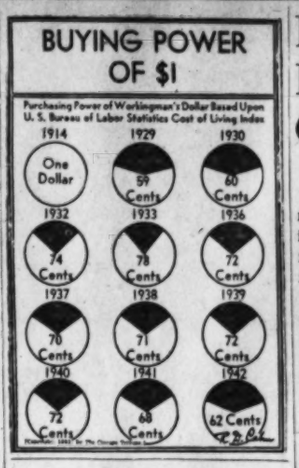
Investments in Government bonds increased $161,855,000 in 1942 to a total of $643,851,000, or 41 per cent of admitted assets.

In spite of the new factor of war deaths, Patterson said, the rate of mortality among the company's membership was the lowest for any of the past 15 years.

New England T. & T. Raises Dividend

Boston, Feb. 16 (AP).—The New England Telephone & Telegraph Co. today declared a dividend of $1.50 a share on the capital stock, an increase of 25 cents from $1.25 a share paid in the last two quarters of 1942, and compared with $1.50 last June and $1.75 last March.

The dividend is payable March 31 to stock of record March 10.



Late Earnings Statements

F. W. Woolworth Co. and Canadian subsidiary reported net profit of $23,538,739 in 1942, or $2.43 a share, compared with $26,114,372, or $?.69 a share, in 1941. Provision for income and capital stock taxes was $10,200,000 and excess profits taxes $12,000,000 against $9.030,000 and $4,700,000, respectively, in the preceding year.

Endicott Johnson Corp., shoe manufacturer, today reported consolidated net profit of $2,343,767 for the year ended November 30, 1942, equal, after preferred dividend requirements, to $4.88 a common share, compared with $2,351,110, or $4.90 a share, in the preceding year. For the recent year sales of $103,875,698 represented a record high and compared with $80,852,389 in the previous year.

Cluett, Peabody & Co., Inc., producer of shirts and other lines of men's wear, reported net profit of $2,506,453 in 1942, equal, after preferred dividend requirements, to $3.34 a common share, against $3,044,094, or $4.13 a share, in the 12 months ended December 31, 1941.

Owens-Illinois Glass Co. reported for 1942 net profit of $9,914,548, equal to $3.46 a share on the common stock, compared with $9,040,148, or $3.40 a share, in 1941. In the latest year excess profits taxes paid to the Federal Government amounted to $14,220,270, compared with $4,595,000 in 1941.

American Brake Shoe & Foundry Co. showed a net profit for 1942 of $2,991,459, equal after preferred dividend requirements to $3.22 a common share, against $3,194,873, or $3.56 a common share in the preceding year.

Household Finance Corp. reported for 1942 net income of $5,231,041, equal to $5.99 a share on the common stock, compared with $5,362,941, or $6.11 a share, in 1941.

Western Auto Supply Co. (Missouri) reported net income of $2,372,502 in 1942, or $3.16 a share on capital stock, compared with $3,200,710 or $4.26 a share in 1941.

New Farm Bloc Effort Booms Commodities

By the Associated Press

Commodity futures prices skyrocketed yesterday coincident with increasing indications that the farm bloc would press vigorously for higher parity prices.

New York cotton values soared $1 to $1.20 a bale with the March position selling at the 20-cent level for the first time since last May. Contracts were furnished by hedge-selling and March liquidation.

New York wool tops finished 1.1 to 2.3 cents a pound higher and the March grease wool contract was up 4 cents. The former's advance was attributed to an unexpectedly small increase in the certified wool tops stock and renewed talk of plans for Government acquisition of this year's domestic wool clip.

Chicago wheat advanced 1⅜ to 2 cents a bushel while corn ended ⅝ to⅞ cent higher. Announcement the Commodity Credit Corp. had ordered sales of Government-owned wheat for livestock feed limited because of low supplies aided the upturn.

Hogs at Chicago advanced 10 cents a hundredweight, cattle were firm and fat lambs about steady. The swine top of $15.75 equaled a 22-year high set last October 8.

The Associated Press weighted index of 35 wholesale spot commodities advanced to a new 1942-43 high of 105.18 per cent of the 1926 average from 104.91 per cent the previous day.

Cons. Aircraft, Vultee Report Tripled Output

New York, Feb. 16 (AP).—Consolidated Aircraft Corp. and Vultee Aircraft, Inc., said in their annual reports today that deliveries of Consolidated Liberator bombers and Catalina and Coronado patrol bombers, as well as Vultee warplanes, in America's first year of war each were more than three times deliveries in 1941.

Heading both concerns as chairman of the board is Tom M. Girdler, and their proposed merger will be voted by stockholders March 17.

Consolidated reported for the fiscal year ended November 30 net income of $10,323,779, or $8.04 a share on the capital stock, compared with $8,024,882, or $6.22 a share, for the 11 months ended November 30, 1941 (the fiscal year was changed in 1941 to end November 30 instead of December 31).

Vultee for the same period reported net income of $4,291,140, equal, after preferred dividend requirements, to $3.33 a common share, against $3,100,735, or $2.95 a common share, in the preceding fiscal year.

Consolidated's net sales in the 1942 fiscal year were $304,103,649, against $95,529,050 in 1941, while Vultee's amounted to $109,772,850 and $34,057,207, respectively.

Potato Firms Cleared In Antitrust Case

Wilson, N. C., Feb. 16 (AP).—Judge C. C. Wyche directed a verdict of acquittal in United States District Court here today for 13 corporations and 16 individuals charged with violating the Sherman antitrust law in the potato industry.

The Government accused the corporations and some of their executives of conspiring to depress the price of potatoes in North Carolina, Virginia and Maryland.

Chicago Grain

Chicago, Feb. 16 (AP).—Virtually the same market news which yesterday left grain traders cold resulted today in the sharpest advances in many sessions, pushing May wheat futures to a new seasonal peak at 1.41⅝.

The close in most instances was at or near the day's best levels. Wheat finished 1⅛ to 2 cents above Monday's close, May and July 1.41¼@1.41-, September 1.42⅝@1.42½; corn advanced ⅝ to ⅞, May 99⅞, July 1.00; rye was 2 to 2⅜ cents higher; oats ⅝ to ¾ up, and soybeans gained ½ cent in light trade.

Range follows.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close
Wheat—				
May	1.39⅞	1.41⅝	1.39⅞	1.41⅞
July	1.39⅞	1.41½	1.39¾	1.41⅝
September	1.40⅝	1.42½	1.40⅝	1.42½
Corn—				
May	98¾	99½	98¾	99⅜
July	99½	1.00	99⅜	1.00
September	99⅞	1.00½	99⅞	1.00½
December	1.00	1.00¾	1.00	1.00¾
Oats—				
May	58½	58¾	58½	58¾
July	56⅝	57⅜	56⅝	57⅜
September	57½	57½	57¼	57½
Soybeans—				
July	1.84¾	1.84¾	1.84¾	1.84¾
October	1.81	1.81	1.81	1.81
Rye—				
May	81⅜	83½	81⅜	83⅜
July	84	85⅞	83⅞	85⅜
September	85½	87⅜	85¾	87⅜
December	88⅞	90½	88⅞	90½

Cash Grain

Chicago, Feb 16 (AP).—CASH WHEAT—No. 2 red, 1.60

CORN—No. 3 yellow, 96¼@98; No. 4, 91½@1.00; sample grade yellow, 75; No. 4, white, 1.06.

Naval Stores

Savannah, Ga., Feb. 16 (AP).—TURPENTINE—63½ cents per gallon; offerings, none; sales, none; receipts, none; shipments, 131 barrels; stocks, 28,161 barrels.

ROSIN (drums)—Offerings, none; sales, none; receipts, 5; shipments, 150; stocks, 89,749.

Quote (100 lbs.): B, 2.80; D, 2.87; E, 3.14; F, 3.32; G, 3.37; H, 3.46; I, 3.54; K, 3.62; M, 3.63; N, 3.66; WG, 3.96; WW and X, 4.03.

Jacksonville, Fla., Feb. 16 (AP).—TURPENTINE—Receipts, 15; shipments, none; stocks, 22,060.

ROSIN — Receipts, none; shipments, none; stocks, 168,804.

Commodity Index

New York, Feb. 16.—The Associated Press weighted wholesale price index of 35 commodities today advanced to 10.18 (new 1942-43 high). Previous day, 104.91; week ago, 104.50; month ago, 104.36; year ago, 97.27.

	1942-43	1941	1940	1933-39
High	105.18	95.12	78.25	98.14
Low	98.54	77.03	68.89	41.44

(1926 averages equals 100.)

United States Treasury Position

By the Associated Press

The position of the Treasury Feb. 13, compared with corresponding date a year ago:

	Feb. 13, 1943	Feb. 13, 1942
Receipts	$24,028,745.03	$21,207,190.21
Expenditures	191,267,397.10	64,065,529.29
Net balance	6,561,657,321.64	2,875,107,961.06
Working balance included	5,799,071,297.88	2,115,757,426.75
Customs receipts for month	12,224,269.91	22,293,865.08
Receipts fiscal year (July 1)	8,973,560,323.74	5,122,969,331.88
Expenditures fiscal year	44,484,017,443.02	15,385,848,896.37
Excess of expenditures	35,510,457,119.28	10,262,879,564.49
Total debt	116,891,392,026.60	56,329,503,729.53
Increase over previous day	27,826,622.20	
Gold assets	22,642,545,439.34	22,744,491,169.19

Transactions on New York Stock Market

By the Associated Press

Total sales yesterday, 1,182,330; previous day, 1,835,840; week ago, 924,044; year ago, 389,100; two years ago, 320,050; January 1 to date, 31,535,966; year ago, 18,006,695; two years ago, 19,244,405.

Dow-Jones Stocks

New York, Feb. 16.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Net ch.
30 inds.	128.53	128.88	127.70	128.31	—0.29
20 rails.	29.39	29.39	29.13	29.27	—0.03
15 utils.	17.36	17.55	16.99	17.23	—0.04
65 stocks	42.97	43.09	42.66	42.90	—0.09

Transactions in stocks used in averages today:

Industrials	78,200
Railroads	41,770
Utilities	109,700
65 stocks	229,670

	Sales, Add 00	High	Low	Close	Net Ch'ge
Abbott Lab	1	57	57	57	
Adams Exp	25	9⅛	9⅛	9⅛	— ⅛
Adams-Millis	1	26¼	26¼	26¼	
Addressor	2	17½	17¼	17¼	— ⅛
Air Reduction	3	41¼	40⅝	40⅝	— ⅝
Alaska Juneau	15	4	4	4	
Alleghany Corp	42	1	1⅛	1⅛	— ⅛
Allegh pf xw	3	7½	7⅜	7½	
Allen pf 130 xw	6	7¾	7⅜	7⅜	— ⅛
Allegh pr pf	1	17	17	17	— ½
Allegh Lud Stl	17	22½	22½	22¼	— ¼
Allen Industries	3	7¾	7¾	7¾	
Al Chem & Dye	4	149	148¾	149	— ¼
Allied Mills	3	17⅛	17⅛	17⅛	— ¼
Allied Strs	8	7¼	7⅛	7⅛	
Allis-Ch Mfg	19	31	30⅜	31	
Amal Leather	5	1¼	1¼	1¼	
Amerada Pet	3	76¼	75	76¼	+ 1¼
Am Ag Ch Del	2	25⅞	25	25⅞	— ⅛
Am Airlines	2	55¾	55⅝	55¾	— ⅛
Am Bank Note	3	11⅜	11⅛	11⅛	— ⅛
Am Bosch	3	6⅛	6	6	— ⅛
Am Brake Shoe	3	34¾	34½	34½	— ⅜
AmCable & Rad	12	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝	
Am Can	1	83	82¾	83	— ⅛
Am Car & Fdy	11	28⅞	28⅝	28⅝	— ⅛
Am Car& F pf	2	65	64½	65	+ ½
Am Ch & Cable	5	20¾	20¾	20¾	— ¼
Am Chicle	2	96¾	96½	96½	— ¼
Am Crystal Sug	13	17⅝	17¼	17⅜	+ ⅛
Am Distill	3	16¼	16¼	16¼	— ¼
Am Enc Tilinq	14	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝	— ¼
Am Export L	1	26	26	26	— ¼
Am & For Pow	22	2⅜	2¾	2⅜	
Am&F P $6 pf	1	44½	44½	44½	
Am&F P $7 pf	3	53¾	53	53¾	— ¼
Am & F P 2 pf	20	8¾	8½	8⅝	— ⅛
Am-Hawaii SS	2	33	33	33	—1
Am Hide&Leath	10	3⅜	3¼	3½	— ⅛
Am Hi&L pf	1	35½	35½	35½	+ ½
Am Home Prod	3	55⅝	55½	55½	+ ⅛
Am Ice	1	3	3	3	— ¼
Am Internation	7	6	6	6	— ¼
Am Locomotive	16	9¼	8⅝	9⅛	
Am Loco pf	3	83½	82	83½	
Am M & Fdy	7	13¾	13¾	13¾	
Am Metal	19	23	22¾	23	+ ⅛
Am Pow & Lt	131	2⅛	2¼	2⅛	+ ⅛
Am P & L $6 pf	9	24½	24	24½	— ⅛
Am P & L $5 pf	7	20¾	20¾	20¾	— ⅜
Am R & St S	66	7⅞	7⅝	7⅞	+ ⅛
Am Roll Mill	25	11⅞	11⅝	11⅞	+ ⅛
Am Safety Razor	2	11	10⅝	11	+ ⅛
Am Sealing	19	13⅜	13¼	13⅜	+ ⅛
Am Smelt & R	15	40¼	39⅞	40⅛	— ⅛
Am Snuff Co	2	40¾	40¾	40¾	
Am Stl Fdrs	12	23¼	23	23⅛	— ⅛
Am Stores	3	13	13	13	
Am Sugar Ref	5	20¼	19¾	20¼	
Am Sugar Pf	2	97	96½	97	
Am Sumat Tob	2	25¼	25	25¼	+ ⅛
Am Tel & Tel	19	136	135⅛	136	+ ⅛
Am Tobacco	2	52	52	52	— ⅜
Am Tob B	12	53	52½	53	+ ⅛
Am Type Fdrs	11	8¼	8	8⅛	— ⅛
Am Viscose	10	34⅝	34⅜	34⅝	— ⅛
Am Vitrified	2	118½	118½	118½	— ½
Am Wat Wks	53	5	4⅞	5	
Am W W 1 pf	2	61½	61½	61½	+ ⅛
Am Woolen	93	6¼	5⅛	6⅛	+1
Am Wool pf	23	66¼	63½	66⅛	+ 2⅜
Am Zinc L & S	18	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛	— ⅛
Am Zinc pf pf	40	⅝	⅝	⅝	
Anaconda	30	27¼	27	27	— ¼
Andes Copper	12	12¼	12	12¼	+ ⅛
A P W Paper	5	2¾	2¾	2⅝	
Arch-Dan-M	5	38	37¼	38	+ ⅛
Armour Del pf	1	110½	110½	110½	
Arm Ill	37	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜	
Arm Ill pf	3	53	53	53	— ¾
Armstrong Cork	8	34½	34	34	— ¾
Assd Dry Goods	7	7¾	7⅝	7¾	
Assd D Gd 2 pf	1	68	68	68	+3½
Atch T & S F	2	46½	46⅜	46½	+ ⅛
Atch T & S F pf	3	73½	73¼	73¼	
Atl Coast Line	8	28½	28¾	28	— ¼
Atl G & W Ind	1	26	26	26	— ¼
Atl G & W In pf	1	54	54	54	+ ½
Atl Refining	5	22½	21¾	21¾	— ¼
Atlas Corp	20	9¼	8⅞	9¼	+ ⅜
Atlas Powd	6	65	64¼	64½	— ¾
Atlas Tack	1	9¼	9¼	9¼	
Aviation Corp	109	4⅜	4¼	4¼	+ ⅛
Bald Loco ct	21	13	12¾	12¾	— ¼
Balt & Ohio	18	4⅛	4	4⅛	+ ⅛
Balt & Ohio pf	15	7¾	7½	7¾	+ ⅛
Bangor & Ar	1	6¾	6¾	6¾	— ¼
Barber Asph	9	12½	12¼	12½	+ ¼
Barker Bros	1	8	8	8	
Barnsdall Oil	10	14¼	14⅛	14¼	
Bath Ir Wks	8	15	14¾	14⅞	— ⅛
Beatrice Cream	1	26⅝	26⅝	26⅝	+ ⅜
Belding-Hem	6	10	9⅞	10	
Bell Airc	7	13½	13¼	13⅜	— ⅛
Bendix Aviat	21	36⅞	36⅜	36½	— ⅛
Benef Ind Loan	5	15½	15½	15½	
Best Foods	13	10¼	10	10	— ⅛
Best & Co	7	27	26¾	27	
Beth Steel	15	60	59½	59¾	+ ¼
Beth Steel pf	3	116	115½	116	+ ⅜
Black & Decker	3	17⅜	17¼	17⅜	
Blaw-Knox	12	7⅜	7¼	7¼	— ⅛
Bliss & Laugh	1	16½	16½	16½	
Boeing Airplane	10	16⅜	16⅜	16½	— ⅛
Bohn Al&Brass	5	45¾	45½	45½	— ¼
Bond Strs	2	19½	19	19½	— ⅛
Borden	32	24	23¾	23¾	— ⅛
Borg-Warner	12	29⅜	29⅜	29½	— ⅛
Brewing Co Am	1	21	21	21	— ⅛
Bridgept Brass	29	11	10½	10⅝	+ ⅛
Briggs Mfg	19	24⅜	24	24¼	— ⅛
Briggs & Strat	1	36⅝	36⅝	36⅝	+ ⅛
Bklyn & Qu Tr	15				
Bklyn-Man Tr	6	1¼	1¼	1¼	
Bklyn Un Gas	14	12⅞	12⅛	12⅞	— ⅛
Brown Shoe	1	38	38	38	+ 1
Brunswick-Balk	4	14⅜	14⅛	14½	— ⅛
Bucyrus-Erie	6	8¼	8¼	8¼	
Budd Mfg	21	4⅜	4¼	4⅜	
Budd Wheel	9	8¾	8⅝	8⅝	
Bullard Co	9	22½	22⅝	22¾	— ⅜
Bulova Watch	2	28	28	28	— ⅛
Burling Mills	12	23¾	23½	23¾	
Burl Mills pf	1	56½	56½	56½	— ⅛
BurlMills pf cld	1	55¼	55¼	55½	— ⅛
BurlMills 2½ pf	1	54	54	54	— ¼
Burr Add Mach	22	10¾	10½	10⅝	— ⅛
Bush Terminal	29	4¼	4⅛	4⅛	
Bush Terminal	1	40	40	40	— ½
Butte Cop&Zinc	1	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜	+ ⅛
Byers (A M) Co	11	11⅜	11⅛	11⅜	— ⅛
Byron Jackson	3	17¼	17⅛	17⅜	— ⅛
Calif Packing	4	25	24¾	24¾	— ⅛
Callahan Z-Ld	133	1⅛			
Colonnet Co Hec	8	7⅜	7⅜	7⅜	— ⅛
Campbell Wyant	4	17¼	17	17¼	+ ⅛
Can Dry G Ale	7	16⅞	16⅜	16⅝	— ⅛
Canad Pacific	6	6½	6½	6½	— ⅛
Capital Adm A	1	6	6	6	— ⅛
Carpenter Stl	1	29½	29½	29½	— ⅛
Carriers & Gen	3	4½	4½	4½	
Case (J I) Co	2	90	89¾	89¾	—1½
Caterpil Tractor	23	45	44½	44⅝	+ ⅛
Celanese Corp	3	29⅛	28⅞	29	
Celotex Corp	14	19¾	19¾	19¾	— ⅛
Cent Ausirre	7	19⅜	19	19⅛	— ¼
Cent Foundry	18	3⅛	2⅞	3	
Cent Violeta S	3	14⅜	14¾	14¾	+ ⅛
Cerro de Pas	3	37¾	37½	37¾	+ ⅛
Certified Prod	15	4⅛	4	4⅛	
Cain Belt	3	18	17⅞	18	+ ⅛
Champ P & F	4	19¼	19	19	— ⅛
Ches & Ohio	21	37	36¾	36⅞	— ⅛
Chi & E Ill	1	3¼	3¼	3¼	
Chi & E Ill A	1	8¾	8⅝	8⅝	
Chi Grt West	3	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝	
Chi Grt W pf	5	12¾	12⅜	12⅜	— ⅛
Chi Mail Or	2	9	8⅞	9	
Chi Pneu Tool	7	17¾	17¼	17⅜	— ⅛
Ci Rk I & Pac	22	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜	— ⅛
CRI & P 6%pf	7	1¼	1⅛	1¼	
CRI&P 7% pf	7	1⅜	1⅛	1⅛	
Chickasha C Oil	1	15¼	15¼	15¼	
Childs Co	8	2	2	2	
Chrysler Corp	18	73¾	73¼	73¾	— ⅛
City Ice & Fuel	5	13⅝	13	13⅛	
City Stores	2	4¾		4¾	
Clark Equip	1	35¾	35¾	35¾	—1⅛
Climax Molyb	9	42¾	42⅛	42⅛	— ⅛
Cluett Peabody	1	35¼	35¼	35¼	
Coca-Cola	1	99½	99½	99½	+ ¼
Colgate-Palm-P	10	18⅛	18	18	
Collins & Aik	2	20¼	20	20¼	
Col Fuel & Ir	5	16½	16⅛	16⅛	— ⅛
Colum Brcast A	3	17¾	17⅝	17⅝	— ⅛
Colum Brcast B	5	17⅞	17⅝	17⅞	— ⅛
Columb & El	234	3⅛		3⅛	— ⅛
Col G&E 6% pf	5	51¾	50¼	50¼	—1¼
Colum Pict	2	11⅝	11½	11½	
Colum Pict pf	2	33¾	33¾	33¾	+ ⅛
Coml Credit	14	30	29¾	30	+ ⅛
Coml Invest Tr	13	32¼	32⅛	32⅜	— ⅛
ComlInvTr cv pf	1	108	108	108	
Coml Solvents	48	12¼	11⅞	12⅛	+ ⅛
Comwlth & So	326	⅛		⅛	
Com'w & Sou pf	21	42¼	41¾	42	
Comwlth Ed	69	27⅜	26½	27¼	
Congol-Nairn	5	19⅜	19⅜	19⅜	— ⅛
Consol Aircr	57	18¼	18	18⅛	+ ⅛
Consol Cigar	8	13½	13½	13½	+ ⅛
Cons Coppermin	5	8¼	8¼	8¼	
Cons Edison	68	18½	18	18½	+ ⅛
Cons Edison pf	3	96¼	96¼	96¼	— ⅛
ConsolFilm Ind	21	1⅜		1⅜	— ⅛
ConsFilmInd pf	6	10½	10⅜	10½	
Cons Laundries	8	2¾	2½	2½	
Consol Oil	49	8¾	8¾	8¾	— ⅛
Consolm Coal	4	9¼	9	9¼	— ⅛
Container Corp	9	19¾	19½	19¾	— ⅛
Cont Bak	20	6⅛	6	6	— ⅛
Cont Can	8	39¼	39	39	— ⅛
Cont Diam Fib	4	8¾	8¾	8¾	— ⅛
Cont Ins	3	42	41¾	42	+ ⅛
Cont Motors	33	5⅝	5½	5⅝	— ⅛
Cont Oil Del	20	30	29⅝	29⅞	
Copperweld Stl	14	11½	11⅜	11⅜	— ⅛
Corn Products	16	58¾	58	58	— ⅛
Cr-Cr Inc	5	4	3⅞	4	+ ⅛
Coty Internat	9	1½	1½	1⅝	+ ⅛
Crane Co	27	16¾	16¼	16½	— ⅛
Cream of Wh	3	18⅝	18⅝	18⅝	— ⅛
Crosley Corp	2	11⅜	11½	11½	— ⅛
CrownCk & S	8	22⅞	22⅝	22⅝	— ⅛
Crown Ck pf	5	41¼	41	41	— ¼
Crown Zeller	6	13¾	13½	13½	— ⅛
Crucible Steel	14	34⅞	33¾	34⅝	+ ⅛
Cuban-Am Sugr	11	7⅞	7¾	7⅞	— ⅛
Cudahy Pack	5	14	13⅝	13⅞	— ⅛
Curtis Publish	354	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜	+ ⅛
Curt Pub pr pf	22	25⅝	24½	25⅝	— ⅛
Curt-Wright	80	8⅛	7⅞	8⅛	+ ¼
Curtiss-Wr A	3	24¼	24	24	— ⅛
Cutler-Hamm	1	19¼	19⅛	19⅛	— ⅛
Davison Chem	13	14½	14⅜	14½	— ⅛
Decca Records	7	12⅜	12⅜	12⅜	— ⅛
Deere & Co	19	31⅝	31	31	
Deere & Co pf	2	31¼	31⅜	31⅛	+ ⅛
Diesel-W-Gil	1	15	15	15	
Del & Hudson	4	10⅜	10¼	10⅜	
Del L & West	16	14⅛	14	14⅛	
D & Rio G wpf	16	1¼	1⅛	1¼	+ ⅛
Detroit Edison	19	19⅛	18⅝	19⅛	
Diamond Match	2	29⅛	28⅞	29⅛	+ 1⅛
Diam Match pf	4	38⅝	38½	38½	
Diam T Motor	9	11⅝	11½	11⅝	— ⅛
Di.: Corp-Seag	2	24⅛	24	24	— ⅛
Dixie-Vortex	1	12¾	12½	12¾	— ⅛
Doehler Die Cas	4	23½	22½	22½	—1⅛
Dome Mines	10	17	16½	17	
Doug Aircraft	5	62	61½	62	
Dow Chem	4	135	134¼	134¼	— ⅝
Dresser Mfg	4	21⅝	21¼	21¼	— ⅜
Duplan Corp	21	10¼	10¼	10¼	— ⅛
duPont de N	4	146½	146	146½	+ ¼
duPont pf	1	126⅛	126⅛	126⅜	+ ⅛
East Air L	3	33⅜	33	33⅜	
East Roll Mill	5	4⅜	4⅜	4⅜	
Eastman Kodak	3	154½	153½	153½	— ½
Easton Mfg	2	23¼	23¼	23¼	
Edis Bros Strs	1	13¼	13¼	13¼	— ⅛
El & Mus Ind	2	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜	
El Auto-Lite	28	32⅞	32½	32⅞	+ ⅛
Elec Boat	19	11⅝	11½	11⅝	
El Pow & Lt	70	3⅛	3	3	— ⅛
El P & Lt $6pf	3	32⅝	32½	32⅝	— ⅛
El P & Lt $7 pf	4	37	36½	37	— ⅛
El Stor Bat	2	36⅞	36⅝	36⅝	
El Paso Nat Gas	2	27½	27	27½	+ ⅛
Endicott-John	1	50½	50½	50½	— ¼
Eng Pub Service	69	4⅝	4½	4⅝	— ⅛
Eng P S $5 pf	1	63	63	63	—1
Equit Off Bld	5	⅝		⅝	
Erie R R	14	9	8⅝	8⅞	— ⅛
Erie R R cv	39	8⅝	8¼	8⅜	— ¼
Erie RR pf A	3	43⅝	43½	43⅜	— ¼
Eureka V Clean	11	4¼	4¼	4¼	
Evans Products	4	7⅝	7½	7⅝	
Ex-Cell-O	5	24⅝	24¼	24⅜	— ⅛
E.change Buffet	8	1⅝	1⅝	1⅛	— ⅛
Fairbks Morse	2	35¼	35	35	— ¼
Fajardo Sug	3	24½	23¾	23¾	— ¼
Fed Lt & Trac	1	8	8	8	
Fed Mng & Sm	22	26¼	24½	25½	+ 2½
Fed Mogul	1	13⅜	13⅛	13⅛	— ⅛
Fed Mot Truck	10	5	4⅞	4⅞	— ⅛
Federal D Strs	4	17¾	17½	17⅝	+ ⅛
Ferro Enam	2	14	13¾	14	+ ⅛
Fid P Fire Ins	1	43¾	43¾	43¾	— ⅛
Firestone T & R	10	27¾	27	27¾	+ ⅛
Firest T & R pf	3	106¾	106½	106½	+ ⅛
First Nat Strs	3	33	32¾	33	— ⅛
Flintkote	11	18	17¾	17¾	— ⅛
Florence Stove	3

Nelson B. Bell About the Showshops

'Movies at War' Discloses Scope of All-Out Effort

War Activities Committee Does Big Job; Senate Reputedly Wants to Know Why; Items of News and Gossip of the Theater

NO TIME, as yet, to have read more than the front cover and table of contents, but Frank La Falce, acting as chairman of the publicity committee for the War Activities Committee of the Motion Picture Industry, in the Washington area, has just dropped a 28-page brochure on the desk, tightly packed with information about the "Movies at War." The subtitle is "Dunkirk to Victory"—except that they spell it "D-U-N-K-E-R-Q-U-E."

OLE O'SEN

A brief of the Table of Contents will give a quick and comprehensive idea of the extent to which the film industry is supporting the war effort. Under "Films Fight for Freedom," we find studio activities embracing "Victory Films," the "America Speaks" series, "Films for Fighting Men"—for soldiers overseas, men in training camps, Allied soldiers and sailors, Red Cross hospitals—"Training Films," "Orientation Films," "Strategy Films," "Good Neighbor Films," Newsreels, "Morale Films" and "United Nations Films."

Additional attention is given "Stars Over America," "With the Colors," "Looking Ahead" and "Winning the Peace," not to mention a department devoted to the friendly gesture of "Hats Off to the Moviegoers" and one in which "Technicians Take a Bow."

Those whose memories can stretch back to the last war and the work of the Motion Picture Division of the Creel Committee, will recognize the expanded scope of the present operations of the Hollywood studios, but will feel no sense of disparagement of the wholehearted earlier effort.

It is merely that "time marches on" in the perfected mechanics of studio technique as well as in the mechanized acceleration of war methods on the battlefronts.

If anyone experienced difficulty yesterday midday in contacting the managerial personnel of the Washington theaters, it was only that he didn't know where to look. They were all at the Willard in gay attendance on the Variety Club's annual "Valentine Day" breakfast—an eyelash off the date, but still one of the most successful observances of the day dedicated to "wives, sweethearts and mothers" in the history of the showmen's organization.

Examining the Shoulder Hardware

The Truman Committee, according to a slightly soft-pedaled grapevine, is currently and quietly interesting the United States Senate in an "investigation" of motion picture executives—and others in the industry—who hold high commissions in the armed services of the Nation, and how come? It is being bruited about that first on the list for minute scrutiny is Darryl F. Zanuck, on leave from Twentieth Century-Fox, and his lieutenant colonelcy. Having already been to the far outposts occupied by our soldiery, at Dieppe and in the thick of things in North Africa, Col. Zanuck's right to his silver maple leaf would seem to be the least subject to question of them all. Maybe Mr. Truman and his committee merely think that he ought to be up for promotion!

I am just as well satisfied not to be called upon to eat any of the pieces of that wedding cake Harriet Beecher Stowe brings back to Cincinnati for the multitudinous members of her family, in "Harriet," Helen Hayes' splendid new play at the National. When Miss Hayes had checked them over on the table, to be sure there were enough to go around, and then swept them hurriedly into her capacious marketbasket, at Monday night's opening performance, they clattered surprisingly like a set of ebony dominoes! That was no kind of cake—even for a bride—to pass around!

To put at rest a considerable amount of lobby disagreement that bobbed up Monday night as to the length of time "Harriet" has been "on the road," it may be stated with authority that prior to Washington, the play had been presented for three performances in New Haven and for two weeks in Philadelphia. It goes from here directly into Henry Miller's Theater, in New York, for its Broadway premiere and what ought to be—the congenital perversity of the "death watch" notwithstanding—a year's run. It was in Philadelphia that those 20 curtain calls referred to Sunday were accorded it. They were arbitrarily choked off at eight, at the National Monday night, with the audience still glued to its seats, beating their palms to a pulp.

Due to a commitment to make a motion picture for Universal not later than June of this year, Olsen and Johnson and their phenomenally successful revue, "Sons o' Fun," will vacate the Winter Garden in New York on Saturday night, March 27. Just in case any Washington showshopper had thought it was in there until the building tumbled down!

Signs-of-the-Times Note

Reported double-feature bill announced on a marquee in the West:

"THE DESPERADOES"
"BEHIND THE EIGHT BALL"

Who'd Mind Any Mere 48-Hour Week?

MARJORIE REYNOLDS, DONA DRAKE, BETTY RHODES are here engaged in what the studio optimistically terms, "Fun in an airplane factory," and they'd better not let Mr. Nelson hear about it! This is one of the more peppery and pulchritudinous spots in something Paramount calls "Star-Spangled Rhythm," enlisting the full roster of their stars and principal players. Coming along in due course, no doubt

HEDDA HOPPER

'Stranger Than Fiction!'

Hollywood, Calif., Feb. 16.—Judy Canova will do "Louisiana Hayride," by Jack Townley, at Columbia, all about a shoe-string producer who buys a screen play from a quickie writer, only to discover it's an identical plot of a hit show already playing in New York. So his only out is to make the plot happen in real life—then nobody can be sued. And don't ever think that's far fetched. It's actually happened to a couple of producers I know. . . . This Cinderella made good. When "Stage Door Canteen" went East to film scenes with Helen Hayes, Katharine Cornell and other top names, Margaret Early, an unknown from Birmingham, Ala, went along. She was snapped up back there by Al Woods for "The Key to Vivy's Room," which will hit Broadway in April. . . . Metro's signed up New York Actress Beatrice Pearson. She's a likely prospect for that Russian picture Gregory Ratoff will do.

JUDY CANOVA

Fighting Words

Sailor Rogers of the Third Naval District, New York, writes, "In behalf of the boys connected with this naval aviation outfit, we feel that if Greer Garson doesn't win the Oscar, there's something phoney about the whole Hollywood setup." . . . Fort MacArthur Alert, newspaper gotten out by the boys, runs this: "The famous artist, Michelangelo, while walking along a street, saw three stone masons plying their trade on the same job. When he asked the first, 'What are you doing?' the man replied, 'I'm breaking stones.' The second said, 'I'm supporting my wife and family.' Third one answered, 'Maestro, I'm building a cathedral.' So if anybody asks you what you're doing in the Army, your first answer should be, 'Doing my best to win this war.'"

Don Terry, Universal serial star, enlisted in the Navy last October. He was sworn in today as a full lieutenant, leaves Sunday for Tucson, Ariz. Don is 40. He's been running that million dollar fish cannery business down at San Pedro for his father-in-law, but says this war is bigger than any business. . . . Hal Grieve of the movies and a decorator is training at Quanset, R. I., and writes: "Anyone who doesn't get into this thing is not quite right. What an experience! I wouldn't trade the little training I've had already for Hedy Lamarr's income tax. Charlie Farrell and Phil Berg also back there."

What Pretty Hair

Since it's been announced, that "Lady on Horseback" would be produced as a musical, Ben Cohen and Mr. Herendeen of the Chicago Tribune, have had two Hollywood queries regarding it. Paramount wants it for Hope, Crosby, and Lamour. Wouldn't Lamour be a swell Lady Godiva? . . . Dorothy McGuire, who's arriving soon to play "Claudia," regrets that Henry Fonda isn't available for the husband. She started her career with him in 1931 at the community theater in Omaha, Nebr., where Hank painted scenery and played in "A Kiss for Cinderella." Claudia was then 13.

Ramblings

Dooley Wilson, outstanding in "Casablanca," is having his part built up in "Stormy Weather" . . . Adolphe Menjou teams with Betty Grable in "Sweet Rosie O'Grady." Betty spent her three-week vacation dancing at the canteen with all comers. I wish more Metro stars would reglize how much good they'd do themselves and the boys by showing up there . . . Harpo Marx, now that he's getting more laughs with his voice than pantomime, is en route to England to entertain our men. Harpo also will have a reunion with George Bernard Shaw and Ben Lyon . . . Eddie G. Robinson still looking for a good play . . . Casey Robinson has under personal contract a handsome newcomer named Gregory Peck for "The Willow and I," which will star Tamara Toumanova at R-K-O.

Hats Off—And On

At Frederic's opening there was such a mob you'd have thought hats had been rationed and we'd never get another whack at them. They were all there—Mrs. Ray Milland, Bubbles Schinasi, Mrs. Charles Ray, Mrs. Joel McCrea, etc. New bonnets thrilled all beholders. Frederic, evidently knowing what will please a soldier, has gone back to the romantic age.

LEONARD LYONS

Among My Souvenirs

New York, Feb. 16.

AN ARTICLE written by Arthur Garfield Hays and published on September 28, 1930—in response to a piece I had written about quitting the law profession. I had but recently been admitted to the bar. And in that article, in which he shattered my arguments for quitting, he referred to my "undoubted talents" . . . I've pasted that 12-year-old article inside the cover of Hays' new book, "City Lawyer." One of the incidents he describes in the book concerns a story I wrote about Billy Rose, for Liberty magazine. Hays was counsel to both Mr. Rose and Liberty. That story never was published, for Hays decided that I didn't know the law—of Libel.

LEONARD LYONS

A NOTE signed by Justice Ferdinand Pecora, concerning the law of libel in New York State. It decided a bet I made with the critic, George Jean Nathan, who had agreed to abide by Justice Pecora's ruling between us . . . The critic protested, gave Pecora's decision a bad review—but he paid me.

A RAFFLE TICKET, one of a series which used to be issued for the $150 cash prize at the Stork Club, on Sunday evenings. The holder of the winning ticket had to be present in the club, on the night of the drawing, to be eligible for the prize . . . That night a band leader pulled a ticket from a bowl and read the name of the winner—Heywood Broun. But Broun didn't win the $150, because he wasn't present. He couldn't attend, because he was in a Toledo jail, arrested for a picketing fight there. He had been jailed for lack of $125 bail.

A MEMO of a breakfast appointment with W. Averell Harriman, in Washington. It was at this breakfast that Harriman mentioned that he would be a member of the mission to Moscow—now remembered as the Beaverbrook-Harriman mission. "This is a helluva time for me to learn this," I sighed. "I'm on vacation—for two more weeks" . . . "I know that," Harriman confessed. "That's why I told you."

A MENU from a Hollywood restaurant, during my first visit there. While I vacationed, my syndicate—for the first and last time—had arranged for guest columns to be "written" by various people . . . In that Hollywood restaurant I was introduced to Rouben Mamoulian, the director . . . "Oh, yes, Lyons," he acknowledged. "I should know you. I just wrote a guest column for you" . . . "Frankly, I haven't seen it yet," I told him . . . "Frankly," he replied, "neither have I."

A 10-CENT CHIP I forgot to cash at the Royal Palm Casino in Miami Beach. Harry Hopkins, who then was the WPA Administrator, was in the casino that night. He had gone to Miami to recuperate . . . The other players watched Hopkins, at the roulette table. At that time his WPA job called for his spending more money than any other man had spent in the history of the world . . . He carefully was placing 10-cent chips, only on low numbers. Onlookers, positive that he had a system, were following his plays at the crowded table. "Why do you play only the low numbers?" I whispered . . . "Because the table's so crowded," he whispered, "I can't reach the place for the high ones."

A PROGRAM of the 1934 Army-Navy football game. We saw that game while we were on our three-day honeymoon. Ted Husing, who broadcast the event, had invited us to visit his booth at Franklin Field. I remembered that invitation when a cloudburst descended on Franklin Field. I took my bride down tiers of grandstand, across the muddy field and then up to the broadcasting booth. Husing, a practical joker, told the guards that I was an imposter . . . It took me two years to get revenge for shattered ego and the flu I caught that rainy day at Franklin Field. Husing was in Berlin, broadcasting the Olympic games. I phoned him from London, and he flew in to meet us. He arrived in time to catch a fleeting glance of us, as we went off to Switzerland.

AN ITEM published by Winchell, announcing the impending birth of our first son. He published it two days after I had learned the news from our doctor, who had cautioned us against announcing it to our families until a later date . . . Winchell and I were having a minor feud then. He was 3000 miles away when he published it. It took me four years to learn how he discovered it . . . I learned it in this way: Our doctor phoned to thank us—because a new patient, in telling why she came to him, mentioned our name. "And when we came to you," I asked the doctor, "did you phone the person whose name we had mentioned?" . . . "Immediately," he assured. That person was a friend of Winchell's.

Two pages of Stage and Screen appear in Sunday's Post.

'Harriet' and Ace Films Held Second Weeks

"HARRIET." Helen Hayes continues in another of her superb biographical portrayals to the stage of the National Theater. It is indeed fortunate that the Florence Ryerson-Colin Clements drama of the great woman abolitionist, Harriet Beecher Stowe, has been booked for two weeks. Elsia Kazan directed, with the supporting cast headed by Rhys Williams, Jane Seymour and Robert Harrison.

Earle

"YANKEE DOODLE DANDY." James Cagney stars in a popular-priced return engagement of the film based on the life and music of George M. Cohan. Drama and comedy are mixed in the many sequences that tell the story of one of the theater's immortal entertainers. Joan Leslie, Walter Huston and Irene Manning are prominently cast. Heading the new stage show are the Oxford Boys. Opens Friday.

Capitol

"CHETNIKS." The drama of the Yugoslavian guerillas' fight against the Germans is told on the screen. Philip Dorn is seen as their leader, General Draja Mihailovitch, in a story whose ending will be decided by current events. Anna Sten plays his wife, with John Shepperd and Virginia Gilmore in supporting roles. Ciro Rimac and his orchestra are featured in the stage revue. Opens Thursday.

RKO-Keith's

"THEY GOT ME COVERED." Bob Hope invades the Nation's Capital in a spy story tailored for his particular talents. As the reporter who guessed wrong on the German invasion of Russia, Bob redeems himself by uncovering a spying in the shadow of the White House. Dorothy Lamour poses prettily throughout as Bob's reward for doing a good job. Held over.

Palace

"IN WHICH WE SERVE." Noel Coward's contribution to the war effort results in a moving study of a cross-section of Britain's fleet and the men who are the backbone of its fighting ships. From the laying of her keel to her destruction at Crete, the destroyer Torrin presents a panorama of present-day England. In addition to playing a featured role. Coward also functioned as author, producer and director. Held over.

Columbia

"THE PALM BEACH STORY." Preston Sturges has come up with another hilarious commentary on our life and times. The story concerns an ambitious wife who leaves her husband in search of a quick fortune and becomes involved with an assortment of successful businessmen embarked on a carefree holiday. Claudette Colbert and Joel McCrea are starred with sparkling assistance from Mary Astor and Rudy Vallee. Opens Thursday.

Pix

"ARMY SURGEON" is one-half of a first-run double-bill whose companion-piece is "Seven Miles from Alcatraz." James Ellison and Jane Wyatt are featured in the former, which goes back to World War I for its material, and James Craig and Bonita Granville grace the latter. Opens Saturday.

Little

"40,000 HORSEMEN." The camera turns to the soldiers of "down under" in a revival of the film which depicts the heroic actions of the Australian-New Zealand Army Corps in their offensive campaign in the Holy Land during the last World War. Made in Australia, the picture contains an abundance of action, novelty and story. Opens today.

Trans-Lux

"SINCE PEARL HARBOR" tells the story of what our Nation has accomplished in the war effort since the treacherous Jap attack of December, 1941. "The African Invasion" is comprehensively explained in a two-reel short, while the cartoon for the week is "The Musical Nephews," featuring the inimitable Popeye. The program is rounded out with the usual 35 minutes of newsreels. Opens Friday.

Gayety

MARIE CORD, popular entertainer, brings her talents to the variety stage supported by a corps of comics and other players. Opens Sunday.

Wooed Again On Same Davenport

Mary Martin has one of those photographic memories.

In a scene in "True of Life" she was called upon to make love to Dick Powell while sitting on a downy davenport.

In the next scene she repeated with Franchot Tone.

"This," said Mary, "is where I came in."

The Texas songbird recalled that on that self-same sofa she had:

Been wooed by Bing Crosby (in "Rhythm on the River").

Heard sweet-nothings from Basil Rathbone. (Ditto "R on R").

Romanced with Don Ameche (In "Kiss the Boys Goodbye").

"And tomorow night," quipped Mary, "we'll do 'East Lynne' on the davenport.

Show Time

STAGE

National—Helen Hayes in "Harriet" at 2:30 and 8:30 p. m.

Gayety—Burlesque at 12 noon, 2:30 and 8:30 p. m.

SCREEN

Palace—"In Which We Serve" at 11:40 a. m., 2:10, 4:40, 7:10 and 9:40 p. m.

Earle—"Casablanca" at 11 a. m., 1:40, 4:25, 7:10 and 9:55 p. m. Stage shows at 1, 3:45, 6:30 and 9:15 p. m.

RKO-Keith's—"They Got Me Covered," at 11:15 a. m., 1:20, 3:25, 5:30, 7:35 and 9:40 p. m.

Capitol—"One of Our Aircraft Is Missing" at 11 a. m., 1:50, 4:35, 7:25 and 10 p. m. Stage shows at 12:45, 3:35, 6:20 and 9 p. m.

Metropolitan — "Commandos Strike at Dawn" at 11:05 a. m., 1:10, 3:20, 5:25, 7:30 and 9:40 p. m.

Columbia—"Andy Hardy Goes to College" at 11:40 a. m., 1:40, 3:40, 5:40, 7:40 and 9:40 p. m.

Little — "40,000 Horsemen" at 11:30 a. m., 1:30, 3:35, 5:35, 7:40 and 9:45 p. m.

Pix—"Silver Queen" at 2:55, 5:10, 7:40 and 10:05 p. m. McGuerins From Brooklyn," at 2:10, 4:25, 6:55 and 9:20 p. m.

Trans-Lux—Newsreel and shorts at 10:15 and 11:30 a. m., 12:45, 2, 3:15, 4:30, 5:45, 7, 8:15, 9:30, 10:45 p. m.

Ambassador — "Casablanca" at 1:10, 3:15, 5:15, 7:20 and 9:30 p. m.

Veteran of Vets

Monte Blue has lost count of the number of pictures he's been in. But the actor, who plays a sheik's lieutenant in "Road to Morocco," does remember that he started as a combination script clerk and stunt man for D. W. Griffith in "Birth of a Nation."

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WPB Chief Ousts Eberstadt, Turns Powers Over to Wilson

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Nelson by representatives of the armed services.

With the decision announced, Nelson went to the White House late yesterday and informed the President of his action. No information was available on what occurred at the White House conference, but officials who attended a WPB staff meeting conducted by Nelson after the conference said that the WPB chief acted as if he was pleased with the results of his session at 1600 Pennsylvania Avenue.

In the wake of Nelson's order ousting Eberstadt, the following developments occurred:

1. Fred Searls, director of the WPB Facilities Bureau, which was transferred from Eberstadt to Wilson in a recent WPB internal shuffle, resigned to resume his job as a War Shipping Administration official. Searls was said to have protested the transfer of his organization to Economic Stabilization Director Byrnes.

2. William L. Batt, WPB vice chairman who has handled administrative problems for Nelson, prepared to take over control of materials—Eberstadt's main job—as Wilson's deputy.

3. Eight Senators issued a joint statement approving Nelson's move as ending "division of authority" in WPB. "All American productivity is now one assembly line" the statement said. "It must be kept moving forward." Signing the statement were Senators Kilgore of West Virginia, Scrugham of Nevada, Pepper of Florida, Murray of Montana, Maybank of South Carolina, Johnson of Colorado and McFarland of Arizona, Democrats, and Senator Capper (Republican) of Kansas.

4. War Production Board officials gave assurances to the armed services that the Controlled Materials Plan—a system to guarantee orderly distribution of materials which Eberstadt worked out—would not be disturbed. CMP is expected to go into full operation for all war contractors in July and is still in early stages of development.

5. Nelson held the first of a series of staff meetings to advise key WPB officials of the shift in the organization. Associates of Nelson were said to believe that the change-over could be accomplished without much disturbance, although they admitted that some of the "baker's dozen" of top officials brought in by Eberstadt might resign. Eberstadt was said to have urged these officials to retain their jobs in the interest of "our war effort."

In his formal statement, Nelson explained, "I have made this move in order to solve organizational problems."

"It is my conviction that this change will bring harmony to WPB and end the jurisdictional questions which, if permitted to continue, could only hamper the war effort."

Eberstadt declared in a formal statement that he considered the policies he followed "to be the best for our war effort."

"I regret to sever my association with those many loyal and able men in my department of the War Production Board, and in the services, who worked so hard, in spite of great difficulties, to further our war effort and to reciprocate the fine cooperation of industry and labor in our joint task," Eberstadt said.

The ouster was announced in an unprecedented press release—one which stated bluntly that Nelson had asked Eberstadt for his resignation. The press release was read to Eberstadt by Nelson earlier at a brief interview, it was learned. This was tantamount to an outright discharge, since Eberstadt had told Nelson when he took the job last September that Nelson could have his resignation at any time by asking for it.

In the press release, Nelson stated that he was placing all responsibility in Wilson because "Mr. Wilson is a production man, and our job today is primarily a production job." Nelson praised Eberstadt's handling of materials flow, but said the emphasis had shifted to production scheduling.

It was disclosed that Eberstadt had been virtually dismissed last November by President Roosevelt, was saved by Nelson's intervention. The President had requested Eberstadt to discharge Tom R. Armstrong, former Standard Oil executive Eberstadt had appointed as director of foreign requirements. The President acted on the protest of Undersecretary of State Sumner Welles, who contended that Armstrong's appointment would hurt our relations with Latin America.

Eberstadt defended Armstrong, but after the President insisted, agreed to dismiss him, on the understanding that he would quit also. The President said that would be all right, and Eberstadt was thus relieved of his duties until Nelson learned of it and worked out a compromise, retaining Eberstadt, and transferring Armstrong to other duties as a special assistant to Eberstadt.

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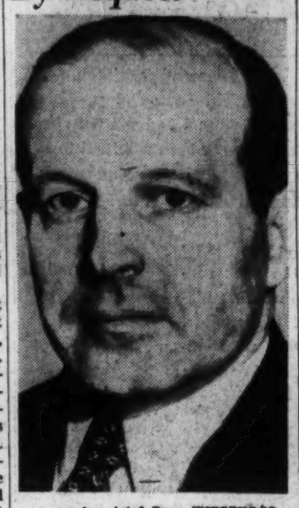

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Black Cat Guards Murdered Widow

Boonville, Ind., Feb. 16 (AP).—The body of Mrs. Clara Samples, 84, apparently clubbed to death with a hand axe, was found last night in the kitchen of her home here. A black cat was sitting near the body.

Church Leaders Meet Today on Lenten Project

By Robert Tate Allan
Post Church Editor

Religious, civic and educational leaders will meet today to spur one of the city's most ambitious evangelistic enterprises—the "Our Capital for Christ" Lenten project, sponsored by the Washington Federation of Churches. Lent begins Ash Wednesday, March 10, while Easter falls on April 25.

Dr. Jesse M. Bader, director of the department of evangelism, Federal Council of Churches, New York City, and guiding genius behind the highly successful National Christian Mission in 1940-41, will address the luncheon at 12:30 p. m. at Mount Vernon Place Methodist Church, Ninth and Massachusetts Avenue Northwest.

The sessions formally will open at 10:30 a. m. with a message from Dr. Clarence W. Cranford, pastor of Calvary Baptist Church. Dr. Robin Gould, chairman of the Federation of Churches' evangelism committee, will preside.

Other participants will be Dr. Frederick E. Reissig, federation executive secretary; Dr. Paul Douglass, president of American University; Coleman Jennings, president of the Community War Fund and chairman of the federation's defense commission; Chaplain Charles Trexler of Walter Reed Hospital, the Rev. George Schnabel, pastor of Albright Memorial Evangelical Church, and member of the federation's evangelism committee.

Health Service Certificate for Funds Sought

If another effort to get Lanham Act funds for the scheduled District health program of $256,744 fails, the Commissioners will ask Congress for a deficiency appropriation to obtain them from District taxpayers, Commissioner Guy Mason said yesterday.

An agreement between the United States Public Health Service and the Federal Works Agency, announced by the Office of War Information Monday materially cut down, in effect, the District health program, since some projects were taken out of the class meriting Lanham Act and left to the sole jurisdiction of the USPHS, which has no funds for them at present.

Mason said if the Public Health Service does not approve the District projects, such as a Bureau of Mental Hygiene, Mason said, the Commissioners will ask Congress to include the amount as a deficiency appropriation for the 1944 budget.

Henry J. Sullivan, assistant regional director for FWA, said yesterday that the $26,656 asked for rental, equipment and maintenance of three health centers could be supplied with Lanham Act funds. Mason said the proper agencies would be instructed immediately to prepare applications. The three health centers would be in Anacostia, Northeast and Deanwood.

Although in this emergency Surgean General Parran had indicated he would be willing to have Lanham Act funds, with FWA administration, be used for projects normally coming under the wing of the USPHS, the Budget Bureau turned any such arrangement down, and insisted on the present clear division of authority with the result that the District may go without urgently needed services.

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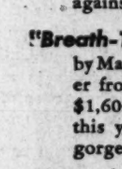

"The January Promise"—by Forrest Davis. Our secret pledge to Stalin and how we kept it.

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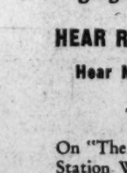

Gallico at his uproarious best . . . **"Parties Are Out."** A deb from Chicago shows a drab little pigeon named Sally how to get her man.

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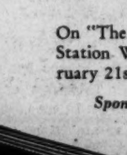

"We Must Feed Europe's Children"—by James Wood Johnston. Some agree—some disagree. Here is a definite plan to solve the tragic problem of Europe's children.

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"The Battle of Bloody Hill" by Capt. William J. McKennan, U.S.M.C. Blow-by-blow account of a Guadalcanal epic.

"Watch Out for the Women" by Harold L. Ickes. Watchman Ickes takes time out to give the boys fair warning.

"These Are the Generals—Eichelberger" David G. Wittels describes the man who led the Americans against Buna.

"Breath-Taking Boniface" by Maurice Zolotow. "A Farmer from Boston" is having a $1,600,000 laugh at Broadway this year. Cancan girls with gorgeous gams in full color.

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Cold Wave?

Maybe it was warmer at that. But at any rate Police Pvts. Olaf J. Schelin and Norman B. Boone of the First Police Precinct were called to a downtown hotel early Monday to evict a drunk from his sleeping quarters—in the hotel refrigerator.

"A Pitiful Sum"

The House, dealing with finances in unheard-of figures, yesterday heard Representative Pace of Georgia, protesting the Appropriations Committee's action in denying 100 million dollars for "incentive payments" to farmers, assert: "Here we provide billions and billions and refuse to provide the pitiful sum of 100 million dollars to see that everyone has enough to eat."

The Federal Diary

By Jerry Kluttz

Another WPB Division Will Be Moved to N. Y.

War Production Board will transfer most of its wholesale and retail division to New York City. The move will take place within the next few weeks. . . . WPB, meantime, will move its construction division back here from New York. About 400 employes will be brought back here. A survey showed that the work of the division here was being duplicated in New York. . . . Federal Bureau of Investigation employes finally were paid December overtime yesterday. Justice hopes to get all its January overtime paid next week. It's still lagging in delivering war bonds to its employes because of the lack of help. Some employes who signed up for war bonds in August still haven't received a single one.

Llewellyn Evans works in WPB's power division by day and he tinkers with his power ideas by night. He has a summer home on Chesapeake Bay, where he lives during the winter, too. It took more gas than he could get to commute daily, so he put one of his power ideas to work. Evans converted his auto to coal and now he can ignore his gas rationing board. Every morning Evans builds a fire in his car and when it gets up steam he takes off for his WPB office. Now, Evans, a former Tennessee Valley Authority employe, should try to solve the rubber tire shortage.

One of the real reasons behind the sacking of WPB Vice Chairman Ferdinand Eberstadt is the report that Donald Nelson believed him to be disloyal. After Nelson had ordered several divisions transferred from Eberstadt to Vice Chairman C. E. Wilson, Fred Searls, jr., chief of the facilities bureau and an Eberstadt lieutenant, went direct to Economic Boss James Byrnes to complain. When Nelson heard of this he hit the ceiling. It's reported that Byrnes' office made certain that Nelson learned of Searls' visit. . . . FBI is in desperate need of space, and space is available for 200 employes in the National Guard Armory if they could only get it. The armory space is now used by a five-man guard staff. Neither the Army nor the District government can make the guard give up the space for the duration.

Draft Policy Confused

Uncle Sam's policy on 3-B draft classifications for his own employes has become rather confusing. The complications won't be erased until the Bellamy Committee reports and Selective Service, War Manpower and the President act to carry out the recommendations, but here's the picture at this moment: The Bellamy Committee now plans to recommend that agencies request 3-B classification for employes with families who are now in 3-A and who hold vital and essential war jobs. Civil Service officials, meanwhile, are urging the committee to recommend 3-B classification for all married men with dependents, irrespective of their jobs. The committee does not plan, although it may reverse itself, to recommend 3-B classification for all married men with dependents. This is in line with the general policy laid down at the White House and it's expected to be confirmed by a presidential or War Manpower order.

The practical effect of the order will be to delay the induction of family men who are now classified 3-A and who'll soon be reclassified to 1-A under the speedup in Army recruiting. 3-B isn't a deferment; it's merely a postponement. 3-B's will go after all 3-A's are inducted. Now, there are a great many men in 3-A who'll soon be classified 1-A that hold essential and vital war jobs. These people will be classified 3-B, under present plans, and studies will be made of their cases to see whether they can be replaced or whether they should be deferred indefinitely. The Bellamy Committee will make its report when it can get an appointment with the President.

The Civil Service Commission, which is trying to revitalize its war transfer program, has called on all employes whose abilities are not and cannot be fully used in their own agencies to apply for transfer at 801 E Street Northwest. Interviews can be had in room 144 of the Tariff Building at Eighth and E Streets. No employe will be transferred out of the city except where it's urgent for (1) health reasons and (2) family reasons. For health, the employe must present a certificate from his own doctor, but a recheck will be made by the commission's medical examiner. The commission also checks up on family reasons.

The commission insists that all applications for transfer be filed with it direct. The employe may specify the position he desires, but he has no guarantee of getting it. It isn't necessary to file a transfer form 57 if you have filed an application for another civil service exam. The commission emphasizes that it has complete and absolute jurisdiction over transfers and the release of employes from their agencies is no longer necessary.

Police to Watch

Violations Not to Delay Auto Tags

Post Staff Photo

MRS. MARY ASHMORE, of 61 Hawaii Avenue Northeast, holding license tag with the new metal tab

Motorists with traffic violation warrants against them will not have their automobile tags applications withheld this year, it was learned last night. However, car owners who fail to honor their traffic tickets will not escape penalty.

Plans are under way, it was said, either to have a squad of policemen on hand at the Traffic Department's tag windows to arrest offenders when they come for tags or to serve the warrants on individuals at their homes.

Definite arrangements had not been made last night, but Inspector Arthur E. Miller, District traffic supervisor, warned that guilty parties will be made to post collateral. He urged that motorists make restitution before the tag deadline of March 31.

The Commissioners banned the system of withholding applications from auto owners. They said they were notified by Corporation Counsel Richmond B. Keech they were without authority to do so.

Heretofore as many as 10,000 motorists failed to receive applications because of this system. This year less than 3000 warrants are on file at the Traffic Division.

In the meantime, Traffic Department officials estimated applications for this year's "tab" are being mailed out at the rate of between 15,000 and 20,000 daily. The issuance began Monday. William A. Van Duzer, director of traffic, estimated this year the automobile registration will drop between 15 and 20 per cent owing to wartime driving restrictions. He guessed the registrations to number about 160,000 as compared with about 200,000 last year.

Over-the-counter sales of tabs will begin March 1, it was said.

The traffic director warned car owners that if they have not received an application by March 1, to apply in person at the Traffic Department. He asked applicants to refrain from telephoning. Applications, he said, will be held up in cases where cars have not been inspected and where owners have moved without notifying authorities of their new addresses.

Women to Drive Buses

Undiscouraged by the recent defaulting of its two pioneer women bus drivers, the Capital Transit Co. is still training its Amazonian operators, a company official disclosed last night.

As a matter of fact, two of the girl graduates are already getting experience as conductors on the Fourteenth Street streetcar lines during the afternoon rush hours, while three others are immersed in the academic courses. Enrollment in the streetcar seminary is light, but the transit company still approves the idea and is welcoming possible freshmen to the ranks.

Test Rules Blackout Set For Monday

Planned Signals To Be Rehearsed Tomorrow Noon To Acquaint Public

The blackout to test new air raid regulations will be held on George Washington's Birthday after all, the Commissioners decided yesterday morning. After having changed the date once to prevent interference with the ration registration, they were in doubt Monday whether a holiday blackout would be advisable.

The latest information from the District Building was that the test would be held Monday night between 8 and 10 o'clock and holiday celebrants would have to take their chances with everybody else.

The public will get its first training in distinguishing the new signals tomorrow, when the usual noon-day blast of horns and sirens will be replaced by the BLUE signal of a two-minute steady note of sirens and horns, followed after a minute's interval by the two-minute RED fluctuating siren and staccato horn note. These signals will be sounded each day from 12:01 p. m. to 12:06 p. m. through Saturday. Explanations will be broadcast over Station WMAL. On Sunday the usual watch-setting note will be resumed.

There will be no airplanes Monday zooming over the city dropping imaginary bombs whose landing would be marked by squibs set off on the ground, as had been promised some weeks ago for the next blackout. Col. Lemuel Bolles, who at that time had control of the local defense organization, had announced that such touches of realism would be introduced at the request of the Army.

Acting Civilian Defense Commander Porter Lumpkins said last night, however, that Monday's blackout is primarily dedicated to education of the public in the new signals, and that it would be a simple blackout.

Although the new regulations adopted by the District on the recommendation of the Army provide that if lights of small enough wattage (15 or 20 watts) are used, properly screened and placed, windows and doors need not be completely obscured, Lumpkins said that the total blackout will still be required. He stated that as there are no instruments available to measure the candlepower of even the dimmest visible illumination, there would be no way to determine a violation or nonviolation. He hopes that by summer some such arrangement may be made.

Meeting Discusses Rules

At a meeting last night at warden headquarters at 1341 Maryland Avenue Northeast, 100 wardens heard the rules discussed by Chief Warden William J. Mileham.

Climax of the meeting came when Harry S. Wender, president of the Federation of Citizens Associations, presented the warden service with a 10-foot American flag to stand in its hall.

"The recent investigations of civilian defense may have caused some of you to think that the federation was out to 'smear' someone," Wender said. "Nothing is further from the minds of the delegates of the federation. Their aim is to find a remedy for any delinquencies and to point with pride to the great work that has been done."

Fire Dept. to Get Map

The Friendship Fire Association tomorrow night at 7 o'clock will present to the Washington Fire Department an electrically operated map showing what companies have responded to an alarm. The presentation will be at the transfer office, 637 North Carolina Avenue Southeast.

She's a Marine

Post Staff Photo

FIRST IN RESERVE—With her left hand on the Bible and her right hand upraised, Miss Lucille Ellen McClarren, 20, of 404 Oakwood Street Southeast, took the oath yesterday as the first member of the United States Marine Corps Women's Reserve. Capt. Henry W. Bransom administered the oath

New Air-Raid Signals

BLUE—Air raid probable.

Signal: Long steady note of sirens and horns continued two minutes.

Lights: All buildings must be blacked out.

Traffic: Vehicular traffic proceeds with dimmed lights at 15 miles per hour. Streetcars and buses proceed with normal lights. Pedestrians keep moving, but look for shelter.

RED—Air raid imminent.

Signal: Fluctuating note of sirens, staccato blasts of air raid horns, continued two minutes.

Lights: Buildings remain blacked out. Street lights and traffic signals extinguished. Railroad, manufacturing and naval lights go out during real raid, may be left on during drill.

Traffic: All traffic except properly designated emergency vehicles stop. Passengers leave darkened buses and streetcars and with pedestrians seek shelter.

After the raid or immediate threat thereof has passed, the BLUE signal will sound again, and the conditions it imposes will continue until the WHITE, or all clear, is designated by radio announcement and the relighting of street and traffic lights. There is no audible signal for the all-clear.

Victory Sidelights

January Salvage Drive Netted 11,930,055 Lbs. Walker Says

The District salvage drive netted more than 11 million pounds of scrap iron and steel, fats, tin cans, waste paper, rags, etc. during January, it was reported yesterday by Horace Walker, executive secretary of the District Salvage Committee.

He submitted this breakdown of the total collections: Scrap iron and steel, 4,486,695 pounds; household fats and greases, 42,364 pounds; garbage greases, 35,250 pounds; tin cans, 255,000 pounds; hosiery (silk and nylon), 1830 pounds; wool clippings, 3994 pounds; rubber, 392,733 pounds; waste paper, 6,374,107 pounds, and mixed rags, 338,132 pounds. The total collections amounted to 11,930,055 pounds.

Allison Sings Tonight

Lynn Allison, widely known local singer, will head the list of entertainers at the anniversary party of Service Men's Club No. 1, 306 Ninth Street Northwest, tonight beginning at 7:30 p. m.

Highlighting an anniversary celebration this week, the club will see William Saroyan's one act play, "The Hungerers," produced by the Footlight Club of the University of Maryland. In the cast are J. Fred Johnson, Frank Mervine, Roberta Cooper, Roberta Kells and George Stuntz.

The United States Navy Band will play for dancers. The program is sponsored by Recreation Services, Inc., operating agency for the War Hospitality Committee.

Walsh Club Opened

The Walsh Club for War Workers, opened Christmas Day under the District Recreation Department, now has 215 charter members for its activities in the studio building at the rear of 2118 Massachusetts Avenue Northwest.

Flying for China

Air travel in wartime China will be discussed by two speakers, one American and one Chinese, at a preview of the State Department film, "We Fly for China," tomorrow night at 8:30 in the auditorium of the Archives Building, Seventh Street and Constitution Avenue Northwest.

Miss Lee Ya-Ching, first Chinese woman to become a pilot, will relate her experiences in piloting a Chinese government plane to interest young people in aviation. J. Franklin Ray, chief of the China branch of the Lend-Lease Administration here, will discuss air travel and communication in China, which he observed when he was stationed in Chungking.

Mrs. Schwinn in Army

Mrs. Eleanor Schwinn, until recently superintendent of nurses at George Washington Hospital, left yesterday for active duty with the Army Nurse Corps. From 1926 to 1935 she was in charge of the operating room at the hospital, and since then has served as superintendent of nurses.

Defense Council Meets

The Civilian Defense Council will hold its regular monthly meeting tomorrow night at 8 o'clock in Room H of the United States Chamber of Commerce Building, Sixteenth and H Streets Northwest. Definite information on the status of the area Civilian Defense Committees under the new organization plan will be presented to the council.

3 Va., 3 Md. Men on Navy Casualty List

Cumberland Sailor, First Reported as Missing Has Since Been Found Safe

Three men from Maryland—including one previously reported missing and since found to be safe—and the same number from Virginia are on the Navy Department's latest casualty list, released yesterday.

The list, which includes 21 dead, 30 wounded and 17 missing, covers not only the Navy but the Coast Guard and Marines as well.

The Marylander who earlier had been listed as missing is Arthur Earl Dodrill, jr., seaman first class, U. S. N., now reported safe. His mother, Mrs. Goldie Merle Dodrill, resides at 17 West First Street, Cumberland.

Other Marylanders On List

The other Marylanders on the list and their next of kin:

William Joseph Kelley, jr., storekeeper first class, Coast Guard Reserve, missing; mother, Mrs. May Ford Kelley, 7907 Woodbury Drive, Silver Spring.

Joseph Stanley Olszewski, storekeeper second class, Coast Guard, missing; father, Peter Olszewski, 9 North Collington Avenue, Baltimore.

Kelley's name was placed on the missing list little more than a month following his marriage on January 9 to Miss Mary Louise Davis of Greenville, S. C., who is employed here in the Adjutant General's office. She resides at 4222 Fourteenth Street Northwest.

Enlisted Last May

Kelly's father said last night his son enlisted last May, was first assigned to Baltimore and more recently to Boston. From the latter port he was assigned to a foreign post, and it was while en route, his father believes, that the action occurred which resulted in his son being placed on the missing list.

Kelley is 28 and a native of Washington. He was reared in nearby Montgomery County and is a graduate of Central High School and the School of Foreign Service at Georgetown University. He received his diploma from the latter institution in 1940.

The Virginians:

James Albert Struder, apprentice seaman, Coast Guard Reserve, missing; mother, Mrs. Lucy Struder, 319 North St. Asaph Street, Alexandria.

Staff Sergt. Ernest L. Bailey, U. S. M. C., dead; wife, Mrs. Ernest L. Bailey, Hume.

Sergt. Alonzo Edwards, U. S. M. C., wounded; father, Arthur Edwards, Hayst.

Struder, a former carrier boy for The Post in Alexandria, was last heard from by his mother early this month when she received a letter from Massachusetts which was written on January 30.

He is 17, a former employe of the A. B. & W. Transit Co., and has been in the Coast Guard since last October. He attended Alexandria public schools and, his mother said last night, had made one Atlantic crossing since entering the service.

A 'WIP' Tries On Some Hats

CAROL SHAUGHNESSY, of Newark, N. J., during a visit to the Women's Division of the Department of Labor, yesterday tried on various hats and caps designed for wear by women factory workers. Miss Shaughnessy is national commandant of the WLS, an organization of women employed in industrial and services essential to the war effort

Xanten Urges More Snow Removal Gear

More equipment and larger personnel is the only solution to Washington's snow removal problems, William A. Xanten, supervisor of the City Refuse Department, yesterday told the advisory board of the American Automobile Association, District of Columbia Motor Club, at a meeting held at the Washington Hotel.

Today, he said, 300 miles of main thoroughfare can be covered by the snow plows amounting to one-third of the total mileage of the city. "We have to accept that as all that can be done with the available equipment," he said.

In an ice storm he said Washington is powerless to keep the streets in a proper condition, although the District is ready and well organized to handle snow. Use of water suggested by some, he said was proven useless and heat methods proved impracticable. Salt, used in many large cities, he said is the only real solution for ice and can not be used in the District. Besides being tremendously expensive, injurious to car fenders and shoe leather it would short circuit the streetcar system of the District, for the saline solution would drip onto the third rails.

Ted Allen, secretary of the A. A. A. Contest Board, stated that sales of deleterious antifreeze materials is jeopardizing five million cars in everyday use. Since the war antifreeze products injurious to motor vehicles, have been sold to motorists.

Convicted Man May Go Free on Error

Jury Foreman's Slip Raises Moot Point at Trial on Death of Woman

James Ernest Shifflett, 42, was convicted of manslaughter last night in the death last August 17 of Mrs. Patti Edwards, 40, but an apparent error by the foreman of the jury which heard the case in Justice Bolitha J. Laws' court raised, for a moment, the possibility that the defendant might go free on technical grounds.

Mrs. Edwards was found beaten to death in her apartment at 503 Third Street Northwest. In the apartment when police arrived was Shifflett, who subsequently was charged with the crime.

The grand jury which considered the case returned an indictment with two counts charging: 1, first degree murder committed by the defendant with his hands or other portions of his body—2, first degree murder committed with a weapon or weapons unknown to the grand jury.

Jury Foreman Slips

During the course of the trial, the second count was stricken on motion of the defense, but last night when the foreman of the jury, which received the case at 11:57 a. m., arose to announce its verdict at 8:30 o'clock, he said the defendant had been found "not guilty" on the first count.

Immediately, a juror in the second row declared, "That is not so. We found the defendant guilty of manslaughter."

Defense Attorney James Laughlin jumped to his feet to move that his client be immediately released, declaring, "I have precedents for the fact that when the first decision of the jury is stated, that is the decision which must stand."

Justice Laws overruled the motion, but consented, as did Assistant United States Attorney Charles Murray, to furnish Laughlin a typewritten transcription of the exact wording of the jury's decision, and to hear arguments on the question raised by defense counsel as "soon as possible."

Later, the clerk of the court polled the jury, and each member replied the defendant had been found guilty of manslaughter.

Believe Verdict Will Stand

Court attaches, unofficially, expressed the opinion that the manslaughter conviction could not be budged, inasmuch as a jury verdict cannot be considered final until the members of the jury have been polled individually.

In his charge to the jury, before it retired to begin deliberations, Justice Laws had stated that the defendant could be guilty of first-degree murder, manslaughter or even lesser charges. It was believed, in the absence of any other explanation, that the jury foreman had referred to first-degree murder, because it was listed first in the court's charge, when he said Shifflett had been found not guilty on "the first count."

During the 7-day trial, Shifflett contended that he had arrived in Mrs. Edwards' apartment just a short time before police put in their appearance. He saw her lying on the floor, he said, but thought she was intoxicated. The defendant testified he had just sat down to smoke a cigarette when officers arrived.

A Government witness testified, however, that she had heard someone being given a terrific beating in the apartment, and identified voices coming from the apartment at that time as those of Mrs. Edwards and Shifflett.

D. C. Slayer Gets 15 Years to Life

Richard L. Wilhite, 17-year-old slayer of Madeline Matthes, 25, was sentenced yesterday to 15 years to life in prison, after Justice Matthew F. McGuire allowed the youth to plead guilty to second-degree murder.

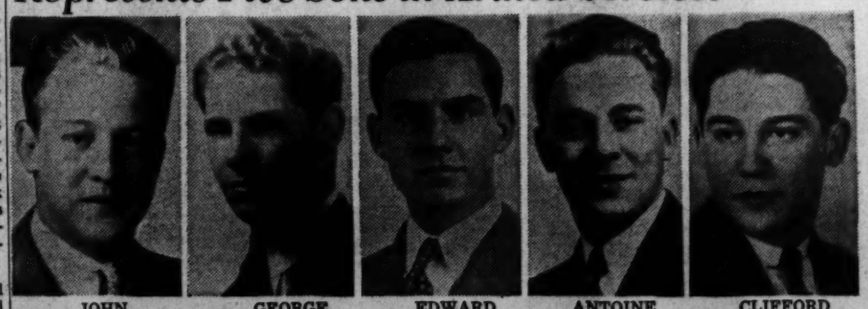
The trial, which began Monday as a first-degree murder charge against Wilhite, had only progressed to the stage of selecting a jury. Yesterday's developments came shortly after the second day proceedings had begun and after Assistant United States Attorney Bernard Margolius told the court the Government would be content with a plea of second-degree murder.

Miss Matthes, a worker for the Jehovah Witnesses, was found stabbed to death last April 14 in an apartment at 1422 M Street Northwest, where the youth and his mother lived.

Police construction of the crime was that the girl, in pursuance of her work, had gone to the apartment to talk with the tenant. She was criminally attacked and murdered, they claimed, when she was invited into the apartment by young Wilhite.

A dramatic moment came at the conclusion of the trial when immediately after sentence of Wilhite his mother arose from her courtroom seat and pleaded with Justice McGuire to be allowed to take her son in her arms. The court agreed to allow the weeping mother a few moments with her son in one of the anterooms.

Widow's Service Flag With Five Stars Represents Five Sons in Armed Services



JOHN GEORGE EDWARD ANTOINE CLIFFORD

Five stars are in the service flag of a Washington widow—representing contribution of five sons to her country. She is Mrs. A. E. Herl of 817 Twenty-first Street Northwest.

As represented on the flag, they are: John Herl, Coast Guard; Antoine Herl, Army; Clifford Herl, Army; George Herl, Army, and Edward Herl, Navy.

The family came here from Montreal, Canada, 25 years ago. The sons attended the Grant and Force Schools and were employed, upon entering the service, as follows:

John, with the State Department and as a professor in accountancy at Benjamin Franklin University; Antoine, with the Sherwood Oil Burner Co.; Clifford and George, as workmen on a housing project, and Edward, in clerical capacity with the WPB.

John, a chief petty officer, is now stationed at Curtis Bay, Md.; Antoine, a sergeant, is at Pomona, Calif.; Clifford, a corporal technician, is at Fort Belvoir; George, a corporal, is stationed in Missouri, and Edward is in training at Norfolk for the Navy Air Force.

3 D. C. Doctors Ordered Held In Dope Case

Three prominent physicians were ordered held for a District grand jury yesterday following their arraignment before United States Commissioner Needham C. Turnage on charges of Harrison Narcotic Act violations. Bond in each case was continued at $500.

The accused physicians are Dr. Thomas Austin Poole, 70, of 3610 O Street Northwest; Dr. Homer Kirk Butler, 53, 1315 Pennsylvania Avenue Southeast, and Dr. Marcus Galus Brumbaugh, 82, of 905 Massachusetts Avenue Northwest.

Narcotics Agents James S. Lanigan and Hugh F. Collins testified how they secured prescriptions for morphine from each of the accused men, aided in each case by a "Miss LaMarr" and a "Mrs. Perry"—the same person, whom they described as an "informer."

The physicians are accused of selling morphine not in accordance with professional practice, and with selling the drug, also, to known addicts.

News in Brief of the Wartime Capital

Legislation permitting United States civil courts to exact the death penalty or life imprisonment from convicted saboteurs was approved yesterday by the Senate Judiciary Committee.

Chairman Van Nuys (Democrat) of Indiana explained that the aim of the measure was to empower the courts to mete out punishment in keeping with the offense, so that sabotage cases could hereafter be tried in the civil courts and not military tribunals if the President so desired.

The measure was okayed by the committee with only one dissenting vote, Senator Langer (Republican) of North Dakota, serving notice that he would file a minority report.

House Gets Pay Bill

A Federal overtime pay bill identical with that sponsored in the Senate by Senator Mead (Democrat), of New York, was introduced in the House yesterday by Representative Randolph, of West Virginia, ranking Democratic member of the House Civil Service Committee.

The measure would give classified Federal employes time and a half compensation for all time over 40 hours a week, and would grant a flat 15 per cent increase to those whose jobs are not adapted to overtime work.

Film Set Tonight

The fourth program of the series of the United Nations Film Festival honoring the Fighting French government will be held at 8:30 this evening at the Jewish Community Center when the "General Without Buttons" will be shown, also a documentary film of the Fighting French.

An insight into the role of the Fighting French movement will be given by Adrian Tixier, head of the Fighting French delegation in the United States, who in turn will introduce the main speaker of the evening, Major Rotival, who at present is professor in city planning at Yale University.

Exempt Tax Warning

Tax Assessor Edward A. Dent last night warned owners of tax-exempt property, as defined by the Act of December 24, 1942, that reports showing the uses to which the property had been put during the past calendar year must be filed with the Commissioners before March 1. Failure to file such reports or to ask for an extension shall result in taxation until the requisite information is furnished, Dent pointed out. Duplicate forms for this purpose are obtainable at the assessor's office in the District Building.

Arbuckle Appeals Ruling

Justice Bolitha J. Laws in District Court yesterday took under advisement the appeal of William Withers Arbuckle, 48, recently convicted of embezzling $1080 of Senate Restaurant funds, for a retrial on the grounds that the indictment was in error because embezzlement had not been proven by the Government.

At the same time, Justice Laws denied Arbuckle's plea to be released on bail until the decision was made, but agreed to certify to the United States Court of Appeals that his argument on the validity of the indictment was a substantial one.

Mary Haworth's Mail

Visiting in Home of Soldier Beau, Girl Sees Letter to His Mother, in Which He Mentions Plan To Marry Someone Else; What Should She Say?

DEAR MARY HAWORTH: Five years ago I came to Washington to look for work. After being here about a week I found employment and during my first day on the job I met a very nice young man who struck up a friendship with me and took me home that evening. This was in mid-September. We went together for several months, and then it was time for me to go home for Christmas. I was supposed to stay just through the holidays, but he said he couldn't bear to be parted from me, and so I stayed on here.

About a month later we started living together, and we continued that arrangement until January, 1942, when I left him—not because I had stopped loving him, but because of some things that had happened. We didn't see each other for a couple ot months, and then he got in touch with me to say he was going into the Army in a few days. From then on, we stayed together until the night before he went away. He told me he loved me and always would. From that time until this past Christmas he wrote me regularly three times a week, but since Christmas his letters have fallen off to about one every two weeks.

It has been my habit to call on his mother quite often and help her a bit with her housework. The other day, while I was there, I came across a letter she had received from him (since Christmas), and in it he told her he was thinking of getting married to a girl he met while we were "on the outs.' He said he thought she was a very fine girl. I don't doubt that; but the mystifying thing is that last Saturday I received a valentine and his photograph from him, together with a letter in which he said he loves me truly. He is coming home on furlough this weekend and I really don't know what to say or how to act toward him. Please help me and I shall be forever grateful. T. R. B.

Ask Him Straight Out To Define Intentions

DEAR T. R. B.: Having received the man's valentine, photograph and love letter on the heels of the surreptitious discovery that he is talking behind your back of marrying another girl, I should think your first impulse—indeed, your irresistible determination—would be to ask him straight out, the next time you see him, just what IS the nature of his feeling or intention toward you, and whether it is true that he is more or less planning to marry Jennie Jones. I can imagine no better way of tearing the false face off his two-timing performance and learning where you stand in relation to him.

In my opinion, no constructive purpose is to be served (from your angle), in trying to pretend, if and when you see him this weekend, that you haven't smelled smoke in the wind. If you have been under the impression, or have been led by him to believe (since he joined the Army) that you and he are each other's "one and only," and if you have kept faith with that understanding, in loyalty to him, by eschewing other dates, then certainly you are entitled to invite (in a direct though pleasant way) a mutually helpful discussion of the meaning of his mystifying behavior of recent weeks.

Tell Him You Don't Know What to Believe

Since you will be asking for truth, it would be advisable to set an example of absolute honesty, by courageously admitting that you "came across" and read his letter to his mother, in which he made mention of the other girl. You might also say that after seeing the letter, you felt it explained his let-down in correspondence since Christmas. But then came his valentine message saying that he "loves you truly"—and now you don't know what to believe, except that he has been keeping something from you and you would like to know what it is and why he felt he couldn't "come clean." You might say that you are not trying to pry into his affairs, but rather, trying to make it easy for him to arrive at a clear understanding with you, concerning his hopes and plans for the future. Tell him if you don't appear in that picture, as he sees it now, just to say so, and you will try to forget him. And let your manner corroborate your words—by keeping a bravely poised and friendly "front" while speaking your piece. M. H.

Women's Club News

By Genevieve Reynolds

Mix love of dramatics, wide histrionic contacts dating back to girlhood, with endless enthusiasm and energy, stir in deep interest in people and you have Mrs. Elliott (Helen Stein) Levinson, head of volunteer entertainment committee of the USO Club at the Jewish Community Center, Sixteenth and Q Streets Northwest.

GENEVIEVE REYNOLDS

Singers, dancers, magicians and other specialists—friends of long standing or friends of friends—are answering Mrs. Levinson's calls to put on a good show for the Soldiers, Sailors, Marines and Coast Guardsmen flocking to the USO Club on Saturdays, Sundays and Wednesdays. On Saturday nights she packs them in with alternate dances, plus "variety numbers," in the Jewish Center's large auditorium as well as to the "smokers" in the auditorium that rival night clubs in their entertainment and delectable canteen snacks.

Wednesday nights are United Nations' Film Festival times, which were launched by Mrs. Roosevelt and Lord Halifax several weeks ago. Therefore, S. R. O. signs are no mystery when you see Mrs. Levinson booking such numbers as Belgian scores by artists from the National Symphony Orchestra, along with the popular film comedy "Carnival of Flanders" or the Czechoslovakian dances by native costumed members of Flora Atkins' troupe, preluding her filming of "Janosik" on Czechoslovakian night, February 24.

Although she plays the piano and sings, still Mrs. Levinson prefers to do her welfare stint by directing dramatic skits. And as president of the Adas Israel Sisterhood (1939 to 1942) and now as vice president of the women's auxiliary, B'nai B'rith, she has written and directed many skits.

Did You Know That . . .?

Mrs. Herbert Lehman, wife of the former Governor of New York State, has joined the ranks of prominent women composing the warworers' committee to find neighborhood recreation centers for warworkers in the Nation's Capital. Already Mrs. Lehman is knee deep in work at the Walsh Club for Warworkers.

The **POLITICAL STUDY CLUB'S** meeting Saturday afternoon at the Washington Club is sure to be a lively affair. Representative Overton Brooks of Louisiana, guest speaker, has chosen for his topic, "Military Affairs." Mrs. Miriam Ballantine Berryhill is program chairman.

Bits of This and That . . .

In lieu of the request made by the Office of Defense Transportation that groups voluntarily give up unnecessary conventions and meetings, **QUOTA CLUB INTERNATIONAL** has canceled its 1943 convention, according to an announcement made by its president, Frances L. Landry of Baton Rouge. Usually several hundred delegates and members attend Quota conventions, which rotate from section to section of the United States and Canada. Mrs. Landry is requesting clubs to put the convention money into war projects and needed community service . . . Washington Alumnae Chapter of **DELTA ZETA** National Sorority meets at 8 o'clock tomorrow night at the Chapter House, 2129 G Street Northwest. Miss Martha Wildhack is the chapter president this year . . . Mrs. Willys Peck, wife of the former United States Minister to Thailand, gave an eyewitness account of the Japanese interment methods upon Americans in Bangkok before members of the **WOMAN'S NATIONAL DEMOCRATIC CLUB** at a luncheon meeting Monday.

Doings of the Day . . .

DELAWARE STATE SOCIETY honors congressional members of the State with reception and dance, 10 a. m. to 1 p. m., Hotel 2400. Designated informal, the group is playing host to 100 graduates of the Officers Training School at Fort Belvoir. Two new members of the delegation, Senator C. Douglas Buck and Representative Earl D. Willey will be on hand to greet the guests. Beta Sigma Phi Sorority is assisting with the sale of tickets for the affair . . . Washington Chapter, **ISAAC WALTON WOMAN'S AUILIARY** holds annual benefit card and game party, 8 p. m., at the home of Mrs. John Bell, 5332 Fourteenth Street Northwest.

And One Flew West

By Anne Tedlock Brooks

The story thus far: Judith Nichols, newly licensed instructor at the Graves Flying School, is disappointed when Jinx Atwood, handsome instructor with whom she has fallen in love, shows a trace of annoyance when she tells him of her approval by the Civilian Aeronautics Authority. One of her first students is Hugh McAllister, good looking brother of the pilot hero, Jimmy McAllister, who went to his death at Pearl Harbor. Judith is attracted to Hugh but her great love, despite his obvious interest in Cherry Mason, glamor girl of the Field Office, is Jinx Atwood. Jinx takes her out in his car one night and tells her that he loves her. Cherry Mason sees them kissing and is openly angry.

CHAPTER VI

JINX' arms dropped and Judith sat back in the car. Cherry stood coolly outside the door of Johnny's coupe, and lit a cigarrette. She held out her case to them, but Judith did not move. Jinx reached out his brown hand and said, "Well, Cherry?" as he took a cigarette. His voice was filled with rage an Judith wanted at that moment only to leave. She hated Cherry and she felt disgust at the thing that Cherry had done.

What right had Cherry to follow them? Judith said, "I'd like to go home, Jinx, please. Take me back to my car."

He backed his car out furiously and drove back to the barracks. As he stopped beside the jalopy, he put his arm about Judith and whispered, "I'll see you tomorrow night, darling." She nodded quickly and got into her own car.

She drove fast, wanting to get home to savor this glorious feeling that even the scene with Cherry would not destroy. Cherry's luck was finished. Done with. Jinx was Judith's man, now.

Judith drove Old Liz into the garage beside her brother's swank-looking sedan.

She saw that Jack was working in his laboratory in the basement, and hurried upstairs to her room. She cast her report on her bedside table and sat down at the dressing table. Starry eyes and red cheeks greeted her. She looked beautiful and excited, her black curls stirred into looseness from the wind, and her white dress revealing her slender figure in silken curves.

She awakened with an effort the next morning and remembered the night before. She hurried out of bed and into her shower. Singing softly, she soaped and scrubbed her lithe body and rubbed herself dry. Then she threw a robe about her and ran down the hall.

The housekeeper, Mrs. Maybree, had the breakfast table set in the solarium today, and the sunlight poured in through the blinds. Bright chintz at the windows and on a divan made a cheery backdrop for a good breakfast.

Jack came in and they started to eat. Mrs. Maybree served their cold melon and coffee. Jack looked at her thoughtfully for a moment and then he said, out of a clear sky, "Tell me about this guy, Atwood, Judy. Of course, I thought he was handsome and all that sort of thing, the times I've seen him, but you've gone serious, haven't you?"

"I——guess I have, Jack." Her heart was racing at the mere mention of his name. She knew that she was in love with him, and of course it was serious. She had loved Jinx Atwood ever since she met him, months ago when he had come to Johnny for instrument rating.

The paper fell on the floor and she picked it up, turning it over to glance at the back. Judith gasped. Cherry Mason's smiling face was looking out at her. The caption said: "Cherry Mason Injured in Accident."

Cherry had driven away last night in Johnny's car, furious at Jinx. Judith heard about it later in the morning, and felt a wave of pity for Cherry. She was not badly injured, but shaken and frightened and the doctor was keeping her quiet at the hospital for a few days.

Johnny was in a black rage. His tires were old, to begin with, and he had used the car only for transportation to the airport. Cherry had gotten the keys from Blair, who had disliked denying them to her. Cherry, who had interrupted Jinx's lovemaking with Judith, had not followed him back to the airport, but obtrusely driven on down the river road that finally widened and became a highway again. Loose gravel had been her undoing. The two rear tires were cut with sharp rocks when she went over the embankment, and she might not have been found until morning, excepting that Johnny had made Jinx take him out to look for his car.

"She really is a pitful sight, Judy," Jinx said, in concern. "I feel pretty much like a heel!"

Johnny hearing him said, "Blair is with her this morning. But I still contend that what she needs is a good beating."

He would go to the florist's presently and pick up a dozen American Beauties to take to Cherry to salve his conscience, but right now Johnny was bemoaning the loss of his tires.

They heard a step crunch in the barracks hallway and Hugh McAllister appeared in the doorway. "Hello. Is it time for my lesson, Miss Nichols?"

"Ready to go," she said. She glanced at Jinx. He was standing by the desk usually occupied by Cherry, his face with an anxious expression upon it, his fingers toying with the paperweight.

Judith and Hugh walked out into the sunlight. It was a beautiful day. The sky was blue with a few lazy white clouds floating languorously.

"Did you know that this is my seventh hour in the sky?" Hugh asked.

"Almost ready to solo. Grand!" Judith said, matching his eagerness, her voice ringing out. What if Jinx hadn't said anything about seeing her tonight? There was the rest of the day to remind her.

"Your thoughts are a thousand miles away, Judith Nichols, even if you are enthusiastic," Hugh McAllister said. He stood there by the prop, tall and lean, his red hair curling in the sun, his clear eyes shining.

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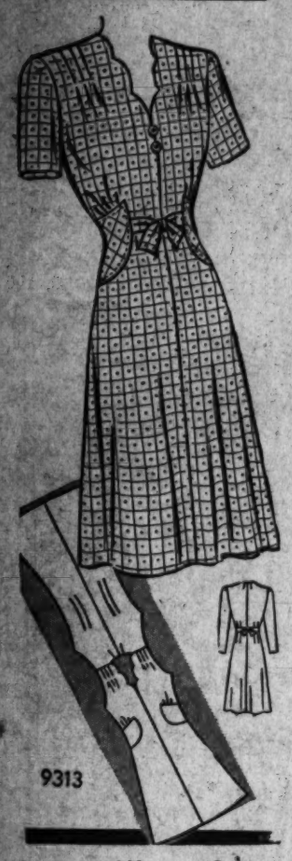

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Your Baby and Mine

By Myrtle Meyer Eldred

A mother's ingenuity must be put to the test to make up games, when no games exist, to teach children different types of desirable conduct.

We know well enough that children do not take kindly to being made to stay either quiet or motionless. In fact, one criterion of childish health is an enormous capacity for activity. So, games which make it fun and a sort of test to be motionless, have distinct advantages.

Mrs. F. S., who writes that she used to be an entertainer for children explains, "In the past, and now, I have made a habit of playing a game called, 'Barber's Chair.'

"I am the barber. When I close my eyes the children can move about or shake their heads, but when I open my eyes and say, 'Barber's Chair' then they freeze perfectly still with heads erect. It is a variation of the old 'statue' game.

"We sing this after we play:

"Sitting in a barber's chair
"Is always so much fun.
"Snap, snap, snap—snip, snip, snip,
"The barber's work is done.

"At the moment I am playing like this with my 14-month-old grandson. I was grateful for the recent article you had on 'hair-clipping' instead of 'hair-cutting.'"

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By Melvina Lindsay

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She—But what I mean is you've got to think of the future.

He—I'll say you have. With this income tax coming up!

She—But the point is—well say, if you got a new suit now—

He—Not me. I'm not buying anything I don't actually need. Not at a time like this!

She—But I—you—well anybody always needs another suit.

He—Not when they've got an income tax like mine staring em in the face.

She—But don't you see that you'd really be saving money to pay the income tax?

He—Now how on earth could I be saving money to pay the income tax by buying a new suit?

She—Well now take me. Of course I suppose I COULD make my old suit do another year——

He—I'd certainly do it then—in times like these!

She—But you see I'd simply have to have one next spring and everybody says they'll be a lot higher then . . . and besides, they may not be any more good wool.

He—I know, but——

She—And besides I was looking at a little suit today that's really a wonderful bargain, 100 per cent wool and made simply darling . . . and the saleswoman said I'd better grab it quick because there wouldn't be any more suits like that——

He—They always say that!

She—And besides she said lots of women were buying two and three suits at a time . . . and anyway the suit is only $49.75 and she said I wouldn't be able to touch it next year for less than $65——

He—But wait——

She—And of course if I did buy it now you see that would be $15.25 saved—to pay on the income tax!

Today's Social Notes

(From The Truthtown Torch)

Hors d'oeuvres, lobster thermidor and candelabra must be preserved at all costs in American life, members of THE Committee decided yesterday at a special called meeting at the Plush Sofa Club. Mrs. Wynkoop Bigwigger, chairman, urged that ways and means be taken to keep formal social life alive despite the "ban on petrol." "It is an institution we must hand down to the world of tomorrow," she declared, "even though it causes us the inconvenience of tying up our skirts with string and boarding the trolley."

Mrs. Abraham Lincoln DePeyster suggested that a subcommittee be appointed to take up the designing of tiered skirts, the bottom tier of which could be carried in "an attractive knitting bag" and snapped on to the shorter skirt after the arrival of the guest at the party.

"Why add the tier at all?" inquired Mrs. Bartholomew Beetle, Truthtown's eccentric dowager.

"To do away with the long evening skirt would set a dangerous precedent," replied Mrs. Bigwigger. "It is things like that which causes communism."

Mrs. Forsythe Bleakhouse asked if tails that snapped on could not be designed for men's coats. "My husband is very punctilious about his evening garb," she explained. "And yet when the overcoat season is past I fear it will be somewhat embarrassing to him to wear tails on the trams."

Adjournment followed Mrs. Beetle's suggestion that hosts double as butlers because of the manpower shortage and announce guests.

This Shocking World!

Ethelbert Vanderpuffer, who is recovering from his last stroke occasioned by the shock over President Roosevelt's flaunting of tradition by leaving the soil of the United States, is able to sit up but is not yet permitted to see the newspaper or even to read his favorite magazine The Status Quo, a spokesman for the family said last night.

Mr. Vanderpuffer had suffered two previous strokes over income tax legislation and news of the shoe rationing is being kept from him. His physician also is especially desirous that he does not learn of the rumor that Mrs. Roosevelt may visit Bolivia.

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Memo to Miss Brown

SUBJECT: Card Sharks

Do you leave the bridge table with bruised shins and three enemies? Do you draw sneers from your partner when you pass on his original two bid? Does your best man invite another to play bridge because you, beautiful and brilliant though you are, blithely trump his aces? It isn't enough to say, "Oh, I hate the game—it's so silly," since that has become the overworked excuse of the poor player. Better we should learn now—for skill doesn't require any excuses, and many a last minute "fourth" becomes a permanent fixture of the crowd if she plays her hand with aplomb.

Bridge lessons abound in Washington—some free, some cheap. The District Department of Recreation sponsors some professional ones at Central and Roosevelt High Schools on Tuesday and Monday evenings, respectively. Cost—$1.00 per month complete with instructors and fellow-enthusiasts. Same Department conducts lessons for Negro war workers at Banneker, Dunbar, Francis and other recreation centers. For information about any Department of Recreation doings, call ADams 2050.

Free bridge lessons for warworkers are given at the USO Club, 1814 N Street Northwest, on Wednesdays, 8 to 10 p. m. Servicemen's Club No. 1 at 306 Ninth Street Northwest, holds lessons on Monday at 8 p. m.—and they say there are a lot of servicemen who would like to shuffle the deck for a likely warworker. This club arranges bridge games now and then for servicemen who arrive in town without any phone numbers—and of course the members of the class are A-1 on the priority list.

The Y. M. C. A., at 1816 Twelfth Street Northwest, has classes for Negro servicemen and warworkers on Monday and Tuesday evenings and contract bridge abounds on Fridays—game night—for those who know how.

If you are a Culbertson (or is it Blackwood) from way back, you may be suffering from the frustration that comes with associating with nonbridgers. This is a sad situation, but not a hopeless one. Bridge games are feature attractions at all sorts of get-togethers such as open house at the Y. W. C. A. (Seventeenth and K) or the Jewish Community Center Earlybirds Club for night workers.

Of course, it's comparatively simple to gather up your own bridge club, once you have accumulated three friends who go for the game. And where would you be more likely to find three such than at organized bridge lessons?

If you haven't a card table, you might hesitate to start a bridge game in your dismal room. But the day of formality is doomed—so seat your guests merrily on the floor, surround them with platters of cheese and crackers—and they'll be happy.

Rationing Made Easy

Why Shoe Rationing?

A lot of people are telling their neighbors that shoe rationing is only to soften up the American people for clothing rationing; some are circulating stories that shoe rationing is really unnecessary—just a way of making us "aware" of the war.

Actually, shoe rationing is a necessity. In 1943 the American people bought many more shoes than our manufacturers were producing for civilian use; we were drawing on "reserves." Despite the fact that most shoe stores have adequate stocks NOW, a bad "pinch" would have come later in the year if rationing had not been started promptly. The annual allowance of three pair a year is only slightly below the average number bought during a year by each American and should be adequate. If rationing had been postponed until the shortage became acute, we would have a much smaller allowance.

Civilian shoe production is being cut because of military needs, leather shortage and manpower difficulties. One out of every ten pair made is now sent to the armed forces and this number will increase. Before the war we could get leather from South America if our own supply was inadequate; today we have more important uses for our merchant ships. Also, many skilled shoemakers have gone into service or war jobs, thus cutting down the number a manufacturer can turn out.

The annual ration of three pair per person takes into consideration the fact that men buy an average of two pair a year, while women buy a somewhat greater number. The OPA is going to permit one member of a family to use another's shoe ration coupons so that this difference between men's and women's buying habits will not place undue hardship on women.

About 50 million pairs of shoes are lying idle in closets or are being worn only occasionally. The ration order should put these idle shoes to work and, since there is no ration on shoe repairing, should encourage use of shoes which are not now wearable but can be fixed.

Coupon No. 17 in War Ration Book I is good for one pair of shoes until June 15 and it is transferable to other members of your immediate family.

Dates to Remember:

COFFEE—Coupon No. 15 is good for one pound through March 21.

SUGAR—Coupon No. 11 is good for three pounds through March 14.

FUEL OIL—Period 3 coupons are valid through February 20.

GASOLINE—No. 4 "A" coupons are good for three gallons each through March 21. "B" and "C" are valid for three gallons each until expiration date shown on book.

TIRES—Holders of "A" coupons must have tires inspected by March 31; holders of "B" and "C" coupons must have tires inspected by February 28.

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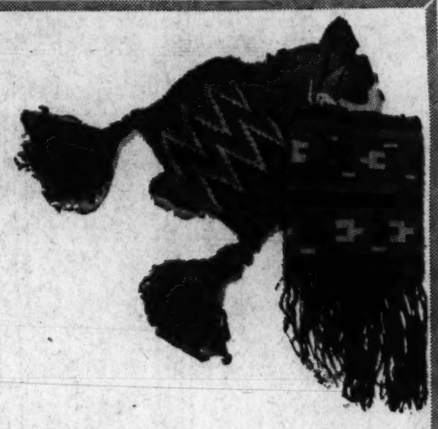

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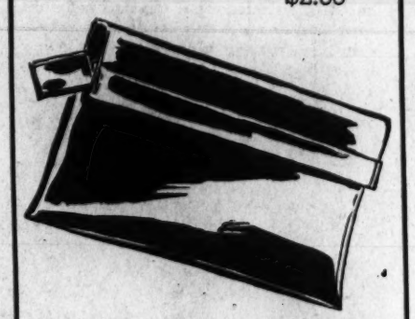

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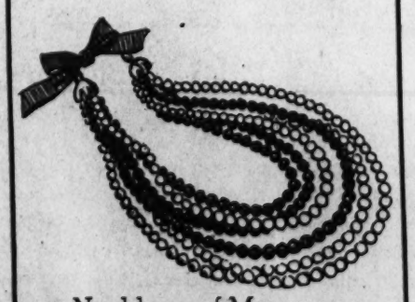

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Timely Personalities

Arne Sunde Is Honored at Stag Party

The problems of war transport and the part that Norway's gallant merchant fleet is doing to help solve them were the main conversational subjects yesterday afternoon in the west ballroom of the Shoreham.

Georg Mellaender, Washington representative of the Norwegian Shipping and Trade Mission, was host at a 6 to 8:30 stag party in honor of Arne Sunde, Norwegian Minister of Shipping. Mr. Sunde, who is a member of the cabinet of Norway's government in London, has been in this country for about three months, conferring with high officials.

The Crown Prince Olav was on hand for the occasion accompanied by his aide-de-camp, Colonel Ostgaard, and the Master of the Royal Household, P. A. Pawedel-Jarlsberg, put in one of his rare social appearances. The Norwegian Ambassador, Wilhelm Munthe de Morgenstierne was among the guests, as were Olvind Lorentzen, Director of Norwegian Shipping, who came down from New York for the event with his deputy director, Erling Naess.

Dozens of members of official Washington thronged the west ballroom during the cocktail hours to greet the Norwegian cabinet member.

To Be Married in March

MISS VIRGINIA MERIWETHER SMITH, Bachrach

whose betrothal to Lieut. (j. g.) Thomas E. Strange, U. S. N. R., son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Strange of Annapolis, is announced by her parents, Col. and Mrs. Meriwether Smith. The wedding will take place next month.

Mrs. Grady Guest of Honor At Many Fetes

Here for a few weeks' stay from San Francisco Mrs. Henry F. Grady has a number of informal fetes on her schedule.

Mrs. James M. Souby entertained at a small luncheon in her honor at the Mayflower yesterday, with Mrs. Kenneth Wherry, wife of the Senator from Nebraska, sharing the luncheon honors. Among the guests were Senora de Gauchalla, wife of the Bolivian Ambassador; Mrs. Frederick Mitchell Gould, Mrs. Ernest Eden Norris, Mrs. Walter Wyatt and Mrs. Clyde B. Aitchison.

In the evening Mr. and Mrs. Grady were honor guests at an informal dinner in the Shoreham Blue Room given by Mr. and Mrs. Guilford Jameson. In the group were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Anslinger, Miss Minnie Mae Fleming and Mrs. John Davies, jr.

Rosalie Nelson To Be Married

The Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Burrell Nelson of Winchester, Va., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Rosalie Bruce, to Stewart Bell, jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Bell, also of Winchester.

Their marriage will take place in Washington, on March 6.

Miss Colachicco to Wed Sergt. Harold Goffe

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel A. Colachicco have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Donny Colachicco, to Sergt. Harold T. Goffe, U. S. M. C., son of Mrs. John Allen Goffe of Daytona Beach, Fla.

No date has been set for the wedding.

Purely Personal

Sir Owen Dixon, the Australian Minister, will return to the Capital from a brief stay in New York today. He was at the Ritz-Carlton.

Mme. Vladimir Rybar, wife of the Counselor of the Yugoslav Embassy, will be guest of honor at a tea tomorrow afternoon to be given by Mrs. Leo Brison Norris. The 5-to-7 party will take place in the Norris home on R Street.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles Stanley White are in New York for a few days, where they are staying at the Ritz-Carlton.

Mrs. W. L. Lambert and Miss Barbara Baker are in Pinehurst, N. C., where they are staying at the Carolina Hotel.

Mrs. Edward Hamlin Everett and Miss Sarah J. Everett are spending a few days in New York at the Biltmore.

Miss Mary Lord Andrews is visiting friends in New Orleans, La. She will remain about a month.

Col. Frederick Ramsey, U. S. M. C., retired, and Mrs. Ramsey will leave today for Hollywood, Fla., where they will spend about a month.

Returning to camp after spending a few days with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. William Montgomery Sweeney of New York, Cabell Lee Higginbotham, Army Air Corps, stationed at Maxwell Field, Ala., was in Washington last week as the guest of his aunt, Mrs. Leo Kasehagen at her home on Jefferson street. Mrs. Kasehagen entertained in his honor over the weekend. Private Higginbotham was attending Georgia Tech when called to the Army.

The Rev. and Mrs. Walter P. Elliott are entertaining their nephew, John Doll of Atlanta, Ga., for a few weeks.

Dr. E. Clyde Shade of Takoma Park, Md., has left for Miami, Fla., where he will vacation until the middle of April.

Adele Morgan, J. W. Frazer to Wed

Mr. and Mrs. John P. Morgan of this city, announce the engagement of their daughter, Adele Danielle Morgan, to Joseph Wiley Frazer, son of Mrs. Joseph Wiley Fraser and the late Mr. Frazer of Mississippi.

The wedding will take place on March 5 in St. Thomas Church.

Robert W. Carvers Go to Mexico On Honeymoon

Now on a bridal tour of Texas and Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wallace Carver, whose marriage took place on Sunday, will return to New York the end of the month.

The bride is the former Miss Beatrice Natalie Austin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Austin of Stanford, Tex. Before her marriage she made her home here, where she worked for the Civil Aeronautics Authority. Her husband, whose home is in Short Hills, N. J., will join the armed forces March 1.

The double ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. H. L. Cooper in the home of the bridegroom's parents in Short Hills. The bride, who was given in marriage by her cousin, Richard H. Godeke of Washington, wore a gown of white satin made with a sweetheart neckline, fitted bodice and insets of lace. Her fingertip veil was caught by a crown of pearlized orange blossoms and she carried a bouquet of white roses and orange blossoms.

Mrs. Richard H. Godeke was the matron of honor and only attendant. She wore a white jersey gown cut on simple lines and a matching veiled juliet cap. Her bouquet was of white snapdragons and baby's breath. Frank Desmond of Short Hills served as best man.

Following the ceremony a reception was held. Many of the couple's friends from Washington and New York went to New Jersey for the wedding.

Opal Sheets Is Bride of Captain Belen

Capt. Frederick C. Belen, United States Army, and his bride, the former Miss Opal Marie Sheets, will make their home in Arlington after their return from their honeymoon to southern Michigan.

Their marriage took place last week at the Foundry Methodist Church, with the Rev. Frederick Brown Harris officiating. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Sheets of Parsons, W. Va., and has made her home here for the past few years. Captain Belen is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Belen of Lansing, Mich. For her bridal ensemble, the bride chose a two-piece navy faille frock, with navy and white accessories and a corsage of white orchids. She was attended by Miss Juanita Craig and William E. Whalen served as best man.

Captain Belen is a graduate of Michigan State College and George Washington Law School. He is at present assigned as security officer for the Pentagon Building.

Couple Visit Here On Way South

Corpl. and Mrs. John Perry Thomas, jr., are visiting in Washington, en route to Camp Davis, N. C., where he will enroll in the Officers' Candidate School. They have been living recently in Seattle, Wash.

Mrs. Thomas is the former Miss Jean McCray Thompson, daughter of Mrs. Estelle Mohler Thompson of Washington and Herndon, Va., and Corporal Thomas is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Perry Thomas of Indianhead, Md.

To Christen Ship

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Posner who make their home at the Shoreham are in California for the christening of the ship Josiah Royce on Tuesday at Terminal Island. The launching ceremonies will be held at 9:30 that morning.

Mrs. Rosner is a member of the American Red Cross Motor Corps and is active in the OCD.

Dr. David Burgess And Bride to Make Home Here

Dr. and Mrs. David S. Burgess, whose marriage took place February 14 in the parsonage of All Souls Unitarian Church, went to New York on their honeymoon and when they return will be at home at 101 Joliet Street Southwest.

Before her marriage the bride was Miss Margaret McKenzie, niece of Mrs. E. A. Stowell of Boston. Dr Burgess is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Burgess of Pawling, N. Y. The Rev. Ulysses G. B. Pierce officiated at the ceremony and the bride's only attendant was Miss Dorothy Sanderson of Seneca Falls, N. Y. Dr. Eugene Ramskill of Washington, served as best man.

For the ceremony the bride wore a light crepe gown trimmed with American Beauty velevt and a corsage of white orchids. Miss Sanderson was in American Beauty crepe worn with black accessories and an orchid corsage.

Mrs. Burgess was formerly employed with the British Ministry of Supplies. Dr. Burgess is associated with the Naval Research Laboratories.

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Red Army's Silver Anniversary to Be Celebrated Here Next Week; De Gaulle's Special Representative and Mme. Tixier Plan Party; Additional Notes on Mme. Chiang

Several hundred white pasteboards, bearing a silver seal of the hammer and sickle, have gone out to Capital officialdom as invitations to the celebration of the silver anniversary of the Red Army of the U. S. S. R.

All of which is by way of saying that next Tuesday, from 6 until 8 o'clock, Washington notables will turn out in droves for the reception at which the Soviet Military Attache, Col. Ilia M. Sarayev, and Mme. Sarayev and the Soviet Naval Attache, Capt. Ivan A. Yegorichev, and Mme. Yegorichev will entertain.

Mme. Tixier

Speaking of parties with a purpose reminds me that a hand-picked group of Washingtonians will be on hand for the "after 5:30" gathering Saturday when Adrien Tixier, General de Gaulle's special representative, and Mme. Tixier are hosts in their home on McGill Terrace. That should be an especially interesting fete, just at this time when the eyes of the world are turned on the Fighting French forces abroad and the Fighting French forces which are gathering strength daily in this country.

One of the most attractive, and one of the best informed women in Washington is petite, Polish-born Mme. Tixier. Since she came to Washington more than a year ago, she has made an amazing number of friends not only for herself and husband but for the cause they have represented here since the days when M. Tixier was his chief's sole agent in Washington.

Mme. Tixier has served in her husband's office in many capacities; has proved her ability time and time again as typist, stenographer, telephone operator and general bureau of information. Educated in Switzerland, she comes by her international viewpoint quite naturally and has brought an extensive background of study to her position as the wife of an Ambassador not yet in the diplomatic bluebook.

Vivid and volatile Adrien Tixier was at the International Labor Office in Geneva for many years, and he is convinced that his experience there was the most valuable background possible for the task with which he was confronted in America—that of helping to bring about a closer understanding between the United States and the Fighting French forces.

Adrien Tixier

M. Tixier left Paris in June, 1940, two days before the German entry and went to Geneva. In November of the following year, General de Gaulle, who has been the motivating spirit in the Free France organization, asked Tixier to represent him in America.

A few months after the Free French—now the Fighting French—delegation was established here, Tixier went to England to spend six weeks with his general, and it was at that time plans were completed for establishing Fighting French delegations in other Allied countries. Tixier expresses himself freely and forcefully; is not given to evasion on any score; has a profound admiration for his chief; and will argue tirelessly on any point that touches on the subject nearest his heart—that of recovering France for the French, the French who are willing to fight for it.

If Gen. Emile Bethouart—French hero of two wars and now head of the military supply mission for his country's forces in North Africa—doesn't start speaking English soon, I'm going to have to brush up on my French. He's one current hero I would especially like to interview . . . and without benefit of interpreter.

Gen. Bethouart

The latter, I had briefly the other day at the party given by General Bethouart's liaison officer, Guillaume Georges-Picot. But teacup interviews, at best, are never good enough, and the minute General Bethouart started to answer one of my questions, through an interpreter, of course, somebody else would coast up and begin pouring forth a steady stream of French. This much, however, I did get from the 53-year-old general: He likes Washington, and he has found American military leaders here have great sympathy for his cause. There was a reference to General Giraud, who designated Bethouart head of the mission here, but exactly what was said I cannot tell you. About that time, another guest, who spoke French like a native, crowded both me and my interpreter out of the picture. As I said before, I'm going to have to brush up on my French.

I'll check twice the next time I write anything about Cary Bok, secretary and treasurer of the Curtis Publishing Co. On the strength of information given me by a Washington official who should know what he is talking about, I mentioned in this column a few days ago that Mr. Bok had given up his job with the publishing company in order to devote his entire time to work in connection with launching wooden barges with a colorful Penobscot tribal ceremony at Camden, Me. Seems that's not right. Mr. Bok, so I have been informed from headquarters since, is still secretary and treasurer of the Curtis Publishing Co.; maintains an office in Philadelphia; makes frequent visits there on business and handles a considerable volume of the company's business directly from Camden. Sorry I made the mistake . . .

Capital Spotlight

New Supreme Court Justice Is Good Copy Despite Himself

People Are Hobby Of Wiley Rutledge Of Kentucky and Iowa

By Patricia Grady

He's been sitting in a swivel chair behind the Supreme Court bench for two whole days now, but he'll never get over feeling slightly uncomfortable in the black robes of a justice.

Wiley Blount Rutledge, jr., who recently moved his legal tomes from the Circuit Court here to the awesome Supreme Court Building, has the simple charm and quiet dignity of the "typical" American. This ruggedly built Kentuckian, who was twice before runner-up for appointment to the Nation's highest bench, is self-styled "poor newspaper copy." Almost shy of the press, he feels too many public utterances are unbecoming to a member of the judiciary.

RUTLEDGE GLEANINGS — His football and baseball enthusiasms put him in the "fan" class . . . Was a sandlot baseball star in his extreme youth . . . Wears conservative clothes and does his own shopping . . . Believes in moderation in most things, including drinking, but is a total abstainer when it comes to bridge . . . His softly slurred speech gives away his Kentucky birthplace . . . Walking is his only exercise . . . Tries to get seven hours' sleep a night . . . People are his hobby . . . Reading is his favorite relaxation.

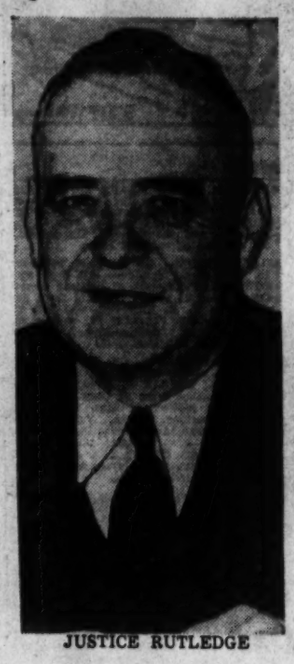
A scholar by nature, the new justice spends most of his spare time reading. Biographies and histories line his bookcases. Legal minds such as Pound, Benjamin Cardozo and Oliver Wendell Holmes, jr., have greatly influenced his thinking. Pragmatist John Dewey is his favorite philosophic reading. His heroes in American history are Jefferson, Benjamin Franklin, and other spokesmen for social justice.

Off-the-Cuff Is His Style

Justice Rutledge has a reputation for being an extreme liberal and is openly more interested in human welfare than in the cold abstractions of the law. He often asks, "Of what good is the law if it does not serve human needs?" His definition of democracy is a "system of limited and responsible freedom," and "a perpetual compromise, ever shifting in its major incidence upon particular human interests, between security and change."

An excellent "off-the-cuff" speaker, Justice Rutledge enjoys speaking "if I have something to say." He likes the changing reactions of an audience and admits that radio speeches make him slightly nervous.

The new judicial status of Wiley Rutledge has as yet had no visible effect on the life of the Rutledge family. The telephone number of their unpretentious home on Indian Lane has not been shifted to the "unlisted" variety. Mrs. Rutledge intends to keep on with her very informal entertaining, from preference as well as from wartime necessity.



JUSTICE RUTLEDGE

Won Fight With T. B.

The three Rutledge children live with their parents here. Mary Lou, 20, is taking a semester's leave from her junior year at the University of Iowa to enjoy a little extracurricular education in the Capital. Jean Ann, 18, is a senior in high school, and Neil, 16, is hoping to go into the Navy after he finishes his two more years of high school.

Justice Rutledge, like the man who appointed him, has won a fight with disease. Shortly after his graduation from Wisconsin University in 1914, a doctor examined him, told him "You've got tuberculosis." He gave up his teaching and went West, where he "made the necessary adjustments."

Following his marriage to his former professor of Greek, he went back to high school teaching in New Mexico and Colorado and studied law at the University of Colorado. In 1922 he won his degree, hung out his shingle in Boulder, and then joined the faculty at the Washington University in St. Louis. He became dean of the law school there and also dean of the law school at the University of Iowa before being called to the Circuit Court here in 1939.

Jean Webb Is Married to W. P. White, Jr.

Miss Jean Katherine Webb, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Joseph Serpas, and Ensign William Page White, jr., U. S. N., were married last evening in the Walter Reed Memorial Chapel, the ceremony at 5 o'clock, being performed by Col. Charles D. Trexler, post chaplain at Walter Reed. Assisted by the Rev. Theodore P. Fricke, pastor of St. Matthews Lutheran Church. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Merl E. Groff of Oxon Hill, Md.

The chapel was lighted with the glow of candles and decorated with white snapdragons, carnations, palms and ferns.

The bride was given in marriage by her stepfather. She wore a white satin gown fashioned on princess lines with a shirred bodice and long tight sleeves. Her finger-tip veil of illusion was held with a coronet of orange blossoms and she carried a prayerbook covered with gardenias with satin streamers tied with Star of Bethlehem flowerlets.

Miss Patricia McConnell who was the maid of honor, wore a costume of aqua lace and net, the full skirt of net the bodice of lace with bracelet length sleeves and a sweetheart neckline. She carried a bouquet of mixed old-fashioned flowers in a lace frill and wore a cluster of flowers in her hair from which fell aqua streamers.

The bridesmaids were Miss Lorraine Groff, sister of the bridegroom; Miss Joan Boylan and Miss Mae Ream, who wore gowns made like that of the maid of honor in shades of blue, pink and yellow. They carried small round bouquets of old-fashioned flowers and wore flower clusters in their hair with streamers to match their gowns.

John Maggio, jr., was best man for Ensign White and the ushers were William S. Clark, Joseph Ullman, Wilbur P. Perine, all U. S. N. Ring bearer was Houston Earl Kennedy, 4-year-old cousin of the bride, and the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Earl Kennedy.

A reception at the home of the bride's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Baudoin followed the ceremony. Assisting in receiving were the bride's mother and the bridegroom's mother, Mrs. J. Earl Kennedy and Mrs. Charles Baudoin, jr.

When Ensign and Mrs. White left for Miami, Fla., where they will live, the bride wore a black-and-white costume with a white turban and white accessories. The bridegroom will be an instructor at the Naval Air Station in Miami. He attended Maryland University and is a member of Sigma Nu fraternity.

Lieut., Mrs. Vearl F. Phillips To Make Home in Capital

When Lieut. Vearl Francis Phillips, U. S. N. R., and his bride, the former Miss Ruth Evelyn Ballentine, return from their wedding trip to New York they will reside at 2700 Wisconsin Avenue.

Mrs. Phillips is the daughter of Mrs. Kinchen Willoughby Ballentine and the late Mr. Ballentine. The wedding took place in the Chevy Chase Baptist Church on Saturday, February 13, at 4:30 o'clock with the Rev. Edward O. Clark officiating. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Phillips of Beecher City, Ill.

Wedding music was given by Mrs. Mabel Test, organist; Mrs. Ruby C. Arnold, vocal soloist, and S. J. Elson, violinist.

The bride's gown was of ivory satin made with a sweetheart neckline and fitted bodice buttoned down the back. The skirt flared into a train. Her fingertip veil was bordered in lace and was held by a coronet of orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of gardenias, orange blossoms and white orchids with a shower of orange blossoms. Joseph Farrior Edwards, the bride's brother-in-law, gave her in marriage.

The maid of honor was Miss Lillian Cope, whose gown of dusty pink lace was made with a long torso bodice and a full skirt of marquisette appliqued in lace. With it she wore a halo net hat of matching shade and carried a bouquet of deep red roses and sweet peas. The junior bridesmaid was Mary Ann Strauss, niece of the bride, who wore a gown like that of the maid of honor in light blue with a matching halo net hat. Her flowers were bridal pink roses and sweet peas.

Serving as best man was Raymond Winston Barry, and the ushers included Capt. James E. King, Erwin H. Wilson, Harry F. Gillis and Frederick U. Haines, jr. A reception at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Norman E. Donelly was held following the ceremony. Assisting in receiving were Miss Elizabeth Wiehle, Miss Annette Malcolm, Miss Margaret Ross, Miss Marjorie Muller, Mrs. Erwin H. Wilson and Mrs. DeLeon Carter.

When the bridal couple left on their honeymoon, Mrs. Phillips wore a hyacinth blue frock with a pompadour hat of blue feathers and flowers, a mink coat and a corsage of orchids.

The bride attended the East Carolina College at Greenville, N. C., and for the last year has been living in Washington with her family. She is a member of the Chevy Chase Junior Woman's Club.

Lieutenant Phillips attended Summers College in St. Louis, Mo. For several years he was affiliated with the Burroughs Co. of Detroit as a member of the accounting staff of the Washington branch before being ordered to active duty in the Bureau of Ordnance, U. S. N. R.

Mrs. Phillips is the granddaughter of the late James Bunn and Sarah Westry Bunn, direct descendants of Benjamin Bunn, captain in the American Revolution.

Mary Kranking Is Married to Lieut. Sickles

Now en route to California are Lieut. William G. Sickles and his bride, the former Miss Mary Elizabeth Kranking, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William D. Kranking. Lieutenant Sickles is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Sickles, and at present is stationed at a California post.

Their marriage took place on Saturday in St. Martin's Catholic Church at 10 o'clock, with the Rev. Louis F. Miltenberger officiating. Mr. Kranking gave his daughter in marriage. Her costume was of white faille taffeta, made with full skirt and train, and her fingertip veil of illusion was held with a tiara of pearls.

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By Ray C. B. Brown

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Constitution Hall was well filled last evening when Alec Templeton demonstrated in a piano recital his talents as a serious musician, an improvisor, a witty caricaturist and a mimic. In all these aspects of his personality he merited the cordial reception he received from an audience interested in his innate musicianship and entertained by his versatile adaptability. It was the musicianship alone that held the listeners intent during the first part of the program and left upon them an impression that endured. Beneath the laughter that was aroused by his later pastiches and improvisations one felt a real admiration and a profound sympathy for an artist whose blindness has not deprived him of the inner light.

Mr. Templeton reminds one of the aphorism by Charles Ricketts: "Art sees, music knows, literature remembers." For him the world exists largely in terms of music, the most intuitive of the arts and the only one that approaches expression of ineffable things. Even the instrument upon which he plays does not exist for him as it does for us, black keys and white keys are the same to him, and he touches them not so much in space as in time. The piano is the medium through which he communicates his thoughts and emotions; it is not for him so much a mechanism that he has mastered as a companion in whom he confides.

For that reason his playing of music by other composers has a withdrawn and contemplative air. His interpretations are sensitive, poetic and completely free from "effects" of any virtuosic kind. He seems to be communing with Bach, Beethoven, Schumann and Brahms on terms of a common understanding and a kindred insight into the spiritual essences that music knows.

When he began the informal part of his recital, there emerged the Alec Templeton whose happy humor has won him uncounted friends by way of radio broadcasts. It is an infectious humor that would captivate the composers whom he lovingly mistreats. His reharmonization of Handel's so-called "Harmonious Blacksmith" did strange and delightful things to that theme and variations from the fifth suite for harpsichord. His "Mozart a la Mode" had modernistic quirks that were irresistibly comic. His remarkable memory for themes and harmonies in the range of musical literature made his improvisations piquant with their allusions and their imitations of styles.

Capt. A. A. Fletcher Wins Flying Cross In Australia

FLETCHER

The Distinguished Flying Cross was awarded yesterday to Capt. Arthur A. Fletcher, jr., son of Mrs. C. J. Driscoll, 3426 Evans Street, Brentwood, Md., at Allied Headquarters in Australia for extraordinary achievement in participation in more than 200 hours of operational flights in the Southwest Pacific from the start of the war to November.

Captain Fletcher, one of five other American airmen to receive the award, was appointed to the Army Air Corps at Randolph Field in August, 1939. He was commissioned in 1940. He attended Western High School here and the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

Guilty Plea Ends Trial

San Diego, Calif., Feb. 16 (AP).—The trial of Mrs. Margaret Sharon O'Dea Wallace, 26, accused of beating Mrs. Inez Maclam, 24, and kidnaping her three children, ended abruptly today after she changed her plea to guilty.

The Day In Congress

TODAY

Senate

Not in session; meets at noon tomorrow.

Committees: Appropriations Subcommittee, executive, to hear Brigadier General Edwards on manpower; Appropriations Subcommittee, executive, Treasury-Postoffice bill; Public Lands Subcommittee, executive, mineral resources; Military Affairs, executive, on conscientious objectors; Joint Committee on Reduction of Nonessential Expenditures, open, on agricultural lending agencies; Special Western Fuel Committee, open; Banking and Currency, open, on FDIC assessments and National Housing Act; Special Defense Committee, open, on pipeline; Agriculture, open, food supply hearing; conference on telegraph merger bill.

House

Meets at 11 a. m.

Committees: Appropriations Subcommittees on State, Justice and Commerce, on Navy (supplemental), on Agriculture and on Deficiency, all executive; Naval Affairs, executive, to hear Admiral Jacobs; Banking and Currency, executive, on National Housing Act; Military Affairs, open, on Kilday bill; Immigration, open; Patman Small Business Committee, open, OPA; Judiciary, executive, sedition bills; Foreign Affairs, open, lend-lease; Ways and Means, executive, pay-as-you-go taxation.

YESTERDAY

Senate

Not in session.

House

Considered independent offices appropriations bill.

Heard Representative Culkin criticize Maritime Commission and defense by Ramspeck.

Heard Representative McCormack criticize former President Hoover and defense by Bender and Martin.

Heard Representative Pace warn of serious food shortage.

Heard discussion of postwar aviation program.

Adjourned at 4:45.

What's Going On And Where

Meetings

National Association of Real Estate Boards, Wardman Park, all day.
Credit Women of Washington, Willard, 7:45 a. m.
War Advisory Committee and Board of Directors, National Council of Private Motor Truck Owners, Willard, 10 a. m.
Food Industry War Committee, Mayflower, 10 a. m.
Mothers Club of St. Ann's School, 4408 Wisconsin Avenue Northwest, 2:30 p. m.
Friendship Citizens Association, Janney School, 8 p. m.
Chevy Chase Citizens Association, E. V. Brown School, 8 p. m.
Junior Hadassah, Jewish Community Center, 8:15 p. m.

Luncheons

Atlantic Coast Independent Distributors, Mayflower, 12 noon.
Lions Club, Mayflower, 12:30 p. m.
Food Industry War Committee, Mayflower, 12:30 p. m.
Yale Club, Annapolis, 12:30 p. m.
Rotary Club, Willard, 12:30 p. m.
Board of Directors, Bureau of Rehabilitation, Willard, 12:30 p. m.
Washington Trade Association, Willard, 12:30 p. m.
Road Gang, Willard, 12:30 p. m.
War Advisory Committee and Board of Directors of National Council of Private Motor Truck Owners, Willard, 1 p. m.
Soroptimist Club, Willard, 1 p. m.

Dinners

Washington Association of Cost Accountants, Hamilton, 6:15 p. m.
Traffic Club of Washington, Mayflower, 6:30 p. m.
Justice Beneficial Association, Willard, 6:30 p. m.
Washington Society of Engineers, Cosmos Club, 7 p. m.

Talks and Lectures

"Stained Glass and the Spiritual Significance of Color," Wilbur Herbert Burnham, speaker, Washington Cathedral, 8 p. m.
"The Mass," the Rev. William McVann of St. Paul's College, speaker; Pius XI Guild House, 1721 Rhode Island Avenue Northwest, 8 p. m.
"Work of the Appeals Division of the Internal Revenue Bureau," Marguerite Rawalt, special attorney, speaker; taxation clinic series, Ntaional University School of Law, 8 p. m.
"Therapy of Gastrointestinal Disease," Dr. H. C. Ivy of Northwestern University School of Medicine, speaker; 1718 M Street Northwest, 8:15 p. m.

Entertainments

United States Marine Band, Marine Barracks auditorium, 1:45 p. m.
Anniversary Party of Recreation Services, Inc., 306 Ninth Street Northwest, 7:30 p. m.
Washington Chapel, organ recital, Sixteenth Street and Columbia Road Northwest, 8 p. m.
United States Marine Band, Marine Barracks auditorium, 8:15 p. m.
Gunther's Quiz of Two Cities, radio program, Wardman Park, 8:30 p. m.
National Symphony Orchestra, Jose Iturbi, pianist, Constitution Hall, 8:30 p. m.
Delaware State Society, Congressional reception and dance, Hotel 2400, 9 p. m.
Shoreham Chorists, Stage Door Canteen, 10:45 p. m.

The Weather

Weather Conditions

U. S. Dept. of Commerce, Weather Bureau, Washington, Tuesday, Feb. 16, 8:30 P. M.

Forecasts

For the District of Columbia—Warmer; gentle to moderate winds.
For Maryland and Virginia—Warmer.

Local Weather Report

Temperatures—Highest, 27; lowest, 9.

Departures From Normal

Accumulated excess of temperature since January 1, 1943, 90 degrees.
Excess of temperature since February 1, 1943, 10 degrees.
Accumulated deficiency of precipitation since January 1, 1943, 1.74 inches.
Deficiency of precipitation since February 1, 1943, .08 inch.
Temperatures same date last year—Highest, 54; lowest, 34.

Temperatures	Highest	Lowest
Washington	27	9
Albuquerque	59	32
Atlanta	36	20
Bismarck	34	17
Brownsville	75	47
Cheyenne	62	17
Chicago	22	1
Columbus	21	4
Des Moines	34	—2
Detroit	21	6
Fort Worth	54	28
Kansas City	40	12
Louisville	27	8
Memphis	35	17
Miami	66	34
Minneapolis-St. Paul	30	—11
New Orleans	53	42
New York	..	2
Pittsburgh	..	1
St. Louis	32	2

King of the Royal Mounted

DIED 1

ELLIS, CHARLES WILLIAM. On Monday, February 15, 1943, at Georgetown University Hospital, CHARLES WILLIAM ELLIS, beloved husband of Nettie Lee Ellis of 3729 Warren st. nw. and father of Charles William Ellis, jr. Funeral from the above residence on Thursday, February 18, at 8:30 a. m., Requiem mass at St. Ann's Church at 9 a. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Mount Olivet Cemetery.

ESSEX, JOHN WALTER. Suddenly on Monday, February 15, 1943, JOHN WALTER ESSEX of Lanham, Md., husband of the late Bert Essex, brother of Frank T. Essex, uncle of Alma E. Marshall, Evelyn Mills, Pvt. John W. Essex and Robert W. Essex. Services at the Chambers Riverdale funeral home on Thursday, February 18, at 1:30 p. m. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery.

FERGUSON, HOWARD T. Suddenly, on Monday, February 15, 1943, at his residence, 1157 4th st. ne., HOWARD T. FERGUSON, beloved son of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Ferguson and brother of Mr. W. T. Anderson. Remains resting at 1157 4th st. ne., where services will be held on Thursday, February 18, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Interment Glenwood Cemetery.

FOLLIN, EDWIN DORSEY. Suddenly, on Saturday, February 13, 1943, at Newark, N. J., EDWIN DORSEY FOLLIN, beloved husband of Bertha Fiske Follin. Interment Louden Park Cemetery, Baltimore, Md., on Wednesday, February 17.

FRY, GEORGE C. On Sunday, February 14, 1943, at his home, 18 Forest ave., Rockville, Md., GEORGE C. FRY, beloved husband of Elizabeth M. Fry. Funeral services at the Colonial funeral home of Wm. Reuben Pumphrey, Rockville, Md., on Wednesday, February 17, at 11 a. m. Interment Rockville Union Cemetery.

HARPER, VIRGINIA F. On Sunday, February 14, 1943, at Georgetown University Hospital, VIRGINIA F. HARPER, beloved daughter of Mrs. Catherine Harper (nee Finley) and the late Frank Harper, and sister of Harry and Leo Harper and Mrs. Lavinia Bare. Funeral services at the James T. Clements Sons' funeral home, 1241 Wisconsin ave. nw., on Wednesday, February 17, at 10 a. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Fort Lincoln Cemetery.

IREY, SADIE BRASHEARS. On Tuesday, February 16, 1943, at St. Petersburg, Fla., SADIE BRASHEARS IREY of 6626 1st st. nw., beloved wife of Walter Irey and mother of Richard Brashears Irey and Mrs. Josephine Irey Bradt. Remains resting at Chambers' Riverdale funeral home after 7 p. m. Thursday, February 18. Services on Saturday, February 20, at 10 a. m. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery.

JONES, JAMES EDWARD. Suddenly, on Monday, February 15, 1943, JAMES EDWARD JONES of 30 Hamilton st., Cottage City, Md., husband of Willie Haley Jones and father of Harold, Melvin, Donald and Patricia Jones. Funeral from Chambers' Riverdale funeral home on Thursday, February 18, at 3:30 a. m. Mass at St. James' Church, Mount Rainier, Md., at 9 a. m. Interment Mount Olivet Cemetery.

KEARNS, LENA. On Monday, February 15, 1943, at her residence, 1429 Md. ave. ne., LENA KEARNS, beloved mother of William H. Harry E. Kearns and Mrs. Pearl C. Heddings. Services at Chambers funeral home, 517 11th st. se., on Wednesday, February 17, at 1:30 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery.

KIELY, JAMES S. Suddenly, on Monday, February 15, 1943, JAMES S. KIELY of 5417 Sherrier pl. nw., beloved husband of Celestine L. Kiely (nee Miester) and father of Mrs. Edith C. Witkosky and Miss Mae C. Kiely. Remains resting at his late residence where services will be held on Thursday, February 18, at 9:15 a. m.; thence to Our Lady of Victory Church, where mass will be offered at 10 a. m. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery.

KNUDSEN, ADAM. On Monday, February 15, 1943, at his residence, 146 13th st. se., ADAM KNUDSEN, beloved husband of Pauline Knudsen. Friends may call at Lee funeral home, 4th st. and Massachusetts ave. ne., where services will be held on Thursday, February 18, at 12:30 p. m. Interment at Rock Creek Cemetery.

KUHNS, FREDERICK A. On Tuesday, February 16, 1943, at Casualty Hospital, FREDERICK A. KUHNS of 36 S st. nw., the beloved husband of Dionisia Kuhns and father of Miss Winifred M. Kuhns of Raleigh, N. C. Friends may call at the Lee funeral home, 4th st. and Mass. ave. ne., where services will be held on Thursday, February 18, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment private. Kindly omit flowers.

LAUTEN, ROSA M. On Tuesday, February 16, 1943, ROSA M. LAUTEN, beloved wife of Gustave W. Lauten. Funeral from her late residence, 1913 Park rd. nw., on Friday, February 19, at 9:30 a. m. Requiem mass at the Shrine of the Sacred Heart at 10 a. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment St. Mary's Cemetery.

LAWS, IRA EUGENE. On Sunday, February 14, 1943, at his home, 10219 Old Bladensburg rd., Silver Spring, Md., IRA EUGENE LAWS, beloved husband of Carrie M. Laws and father of Vernon E. Laws, Hillside, N. J.; Mrs. Gladys Moseley, Richmond, Va.; Kenneth Laws, Silver Spring, Md., and Mrs. Lucile Smith, Fairhaven, Mass. Mr. Laws rests at the Warner E. Pumphrey funeral home, 8434 Georgia ave., Silver Spring, Md., where services will be held on Wednesday, February 17, at 1 p. m. Interment Catlett, Va.

LIPSCOMB, GEORGE W. On Monday, February 15, 1943, GEORGE W. LIPSCOMB, husband of the late Margaret M. Lipscomb and father of Mrs. Albert J. and Thomas M. Lipscomb and Mrs. John A. Lawless and Mrs. Julia Carey. Services at Chambers funeral home, 1400 Chapin st. nw., on Thursday, February 18, at 11 a. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Mount Olivet Cemetery.

MITCHELL, CLARA BARTLETT. On Tuesday, February 16, 1943, at her residence, The Ontario Apartments, CLARA BARTLETT MITCHELL, wife of the late Roger T. Mitchell and mother of Mrs. Clarinda M. Aten, Mrs. Margaret M. Papson and sister of Mrs. Louise B. Francis, Mrs. Florence B. Yznaga and Raymond A. Bartlett. Services at the S. H. Hines Co. funeral home, 2901 14th st. nw., on Friday, February 19, at 10 a. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment private.

MOSS, FRANK KENDALL. On Monday, February 15, 1943, at Naval Hospital, Bethesda, Md., FRANK KENDALL MOSS, lieutenant commander, U. S. Navy, beloved brother of Mrs. Earl P. Stadtlinger of Burbank, Calif. Services at Fort Myer Chapel, Fort Myer, Va., on Wednesday, February 17, at 11 a. m., followed by interment in Arlington National Cemetery with full military honors. Arrangements by Tabler funeral home.

DIED 1

ALDEN, MAUD POWELL. On Monday, February 15 1943, at her residence, 211 10th st. sw., MAUD POWELL ALDEN, beloved wife of Harry L. Alden and mother of Mrs. Hazel A. Richardson, Earl P. Alden and sister of Mrs. Blanche Utterback. Friends may call at the Lee funeral home, 4th st. and Massachusetts ave. ne., where services will be held on Thursday, February 18, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery.

ARES (ARIZ), SANTIAGO. On Sunday, February 14, 1943, at his residence, 724 11th st. se., SANTIAGO ARES (ARIZ), beloved husband of Helen Ares (nee Summers). Services at Chambers funeral home, 517 11th st. se., on Thursday, February 18, at 1 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery.

BORGMAN, ALFRED H. On Monday, February 15, 1943, at Mount Alto Hospital, ALFRED H. BORGMAN, beloved husband of Myrtle Ann Borgman (nee Wilkenson) and son of Catherine and the late Henry Borgman. Friends may call at the Lee funeral home, 4th st. and Mass. ave. ne., where services will be held on Thursday, February 18, at 11 a. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Fort Lincoln Cemetery.

DE VOLL, DIANE MARIE. On Monday, February 15, 1943, DIANE MARIE DE VOLL of 1218 Perry pl. ne., beloved daughter of Izetta L. and Paul F. De Voll. Funeral services at 1013 Upshur st. ne. on Thursday, February 18, at 11 a. m. Interment Mount Olivet Cemetery.

DOUGLAS, EMMA FRANKLIN. On Tuesday, February 16, 1943, at her residence, 1209 Floral st. nw., EMMA FRANKLIN DOUGLAS, beloved wife of Dr. James F. Douglas. Services at the above residence on Thursday, February 18, at 11 a. m. Interment Congressional Cemetery. Services by Chambers.

DIED 1

MUNHALL, HELEN KULP. On Tuesday, February 16, 1943, at her residence, the Wardman Park Hotel, HELEN KULP MUNHALL, beloved wife of John Munhall, jr., and mother of John Munhall 3d. Notice of services later.

OPITZ, OTTILIE. On Tuesday, February 16, 1943, at her residence, 624 F st. sw., OTTILIE OPITZ, wife of the late Ernest Opitz, aged 72 years. Funeral from the chapel of P. A. Taltavull, 436 7th st. sw., on Friday, February 19, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery.

OSBORNE, NELLIE J. On Tuesday, February 16, 1943, at her residence, 3119 W st. se., NELLIE J. OSBORNE (nee Peters) beloved wife of Bernard S. Osborne and mother of Mrs. Ethel Mulkeren of Beckley, W. Va. Funeral from the above residence Friday, February 19, at 8:30 a. m. Requiem mass at St. Francis Xavier Church at 9 a. m. Interment Mount Olivet Cemetery. Relatives and friends invited.

REID, RHODA C. On Monday, February 15, 1943, RHODA C. REID of 2912 Bladensburg rd. ne., beloved wife of John H. Reid and mother of Mrs. George D. Kroll of Frederick, Md.; Mrs. Robert L. Niles, Mrs. Mary E. Whidsor, Roy C. Reid of Garrett Park, Md., and Pvt. Upton R. Reid of Fort Belvoir, Va. Services at the S. H. Hines Co. funeral home, 2901 14th st. nw., on Thursday, February 18, at 11 a. m. Interment in Monocacy Cemetery, Beallsville, Md. Relatives and friends invited.

REYNOLDS, HENRIETTA V. On Monday, February 15, 1943, at her residence, 1123 D st. ne., HENRIETTA V. REYNOLDS, widow of John W. Reynolds. She is survived by her sons, Robert L. and John Walter Reynolds, jr. Funeral services at the T. Frank Murray funeral home, 741 11th st. se., on Thursday, February 18, at 1:30 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Arlington National Cemetery.

ROBY, HERBERT. Suddenly, on Sunday, February 14, 1943, at his residence, 3917 Calverton drive, College Heights Estates, Md., HERBERT ROBY, beloved husband of Mary Elizabeth Roby, father of Mrs. A. H. Seidenspinner and grandfather of Mrs. W. H. Seidelder and Mrs. David Bruce Kerr. Services at the above residence on Wednesday, February 17, at 11 a. m. Interment Fort Lincoln Cemetery. Services by Chambers Riverdale funeral home.

SHEAHAN, JULIA L. On Tuesday, February 16, 1943, at Jeannes Hospital, Fox Chase, Pa., after a long illness, JULIA L. SHEAHAN, beloved wife of Patrick F. Sheahan of Denbigh Hall, Wilmington, Del., and mother of Mary Lee Sheahan and daughter of George C. Murphy and the late Ruth Long Murphy, 508 Quintana pl. nw., and sister of William C. Murphy of Waldorf, Md., and Mrs. Anton VanDereck of Cape Cod, Mass. Remains resting at the home of her aunt, Miss Jane Murphy, 3419 14th st. nw. Funeral from the 3419 14th st. nw. Friday, February 19, at 10:30 a. m. Solemn high requiem mass at Sacred Heart Church at 11 a. m. Interment Rock Creek Cemetery. Relatives and friends invited.

SLYE, FRANK. On Tuesday, February 16, 1943, at his residence, 2815 Bellevue terrace nw., FRANK SLYE, beloved husband of Jennie L. Slye and father of Mrs. Elva C. Gibbin, Mrs. Dorothy A. Cromwell, Robert Earl Slye and Mrs. Mildred L. Johnson. Funeral from V. L. Speare Co., 1009 H st. nw., on Friday, February 19, at 2 p. m. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery.

TABEL, FRANK. Suddenly, on Monday, February 15, 1943, at his residence, 3100 Conn. ave. nw., Apt. 440, Cathedral Mansions, FRANK TABEL, beloved husband of Ann K. Tabel. Funeral from the James T. Ryan funeral home, 317 Pa. ave. se., on Tuesday, February 16, at 8:30 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Brooklyn, N. Y.

TREVEY, CHARLES C. Suddely, on Sunday, February 14, 1943, CHARLES C. TREVEY of 1712 B st. se., beloved husband of the late Florence M. Trevey. Funeral services at Kaiser funeral home, Laurel, Md., on Thursday, February 18, at 2 p. m. Interment Savage Cemetery.

TRIMBLE, RILIE RUSSELL. On Monday, February 15, 1943, at her residence, 3516 Garfield st. nw., RILIE RUSSELL TRIMBLE, beloved wife of the late Matthew Trimble and mother of Helen Groome. Notice of funeral later.

TUFT, THOMAS D. On Tuesday, February 16, 1943, THOMAS D. TUFT of 3921 New Hampshire ave. nw., beloved husband of Jennie R. Tuft and father of Thomas D. Tuft, jr., and J. Russell Tuft. Remains resting at the S. H. Hines Co. funeral home, 2901 14th st. nw.

YOUNGER, THOMAS J. On Monday, February 15, 1943, at Walter Reed Hospital, THOMAS J. YOUNGER, beloved husband of Bessie J. Younger and father of Richard Z., Julian H., Leftwich A. and Thomas E. Younger. Remains resting at Chambers funeral home, 517 11th st. se., until 12:30 p. m. Wednesday, February 17. Services at Fort Myer Chapel, Fort Myer, Va., at 1 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Arlington National Cemetery. (Baltimore, Md., Sunpaper please copy.)

—Deaths—

Announcements of Services by Chambers

Deceased	Undertaker
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Karns, Lena	W. W. Chambers Co.
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Jones, James	W. W. Chambers Co.
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OFFICIAL NOTICES 5

ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL Board, Washington, D. C., February 10, 1943. Notice is hereby given that the following persons have applied for license under the District of Columbia Alcoholic Beverage Control Act, and that protests will be received on or before February 24, 1943, at 9:15 A. M., in Room 526, District Building, after which date a time will be set for a public hearing of such protests: 3551, Edmund Alvie Fairall, T/A Potomac Grill, retailer's "C" 917 15th Street, S.E. THOMAS ELLIS LODGE, AGNES K. MASON, WILLIAM P. MEREDITH, Alcoholic Beverage Control Board. 10.17

BIDS & PROPOSALS 6

COMMISSIONERS, D. C., WASHINGTON, February 16, 1943—Sealed proposals will be received in Room 320, District Building, until 10 A. M., FEBRUARY 24, for furnishing Southern pine lumber, Schedule No. 3765. For specifications and information apply to Purchasing Officer, Room 320, District Building. 16,17,18

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COMMISSIONERS, D. C., WASHINGTON, February 15, 1943. Sealed proposals will be received at Room 320, District Building, until 10:00 A. M., February 24, for furnishing Sand and Gravel. West Section (delivered), Schedule 3752; Sand and Gravel, West Section (Contractor's Yard), Schedule 3753; Rotary Sand and Gravel, East Section (delivered), Schedule 3754; Sand and Gravel, East Section (Contractor's Yard), Schedule 3755. For specifications and information apply to Purchasing Officer, Room 320, District Building. 15,16,17

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BRIGHTWOOD—Newly furn. rm., sgle. or dble.; girls; exp. bus 1½ blks. TA. 7810.

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CHEVY CHASE, D. C.—Front master bedrm., 2 exposures, Beautyrest mattress, twin beds, private bath; extension phone. Det. insulated home. 2 Gentile gentlemen. Garage optional. WO. 5634.

COLUMBIA RD. NW., 1754—Attr. rm.; gentleman; owner's home; shower; $30.

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HOBART ST. NW., 1728—Large room, twin beds, newly furn. and decorated. Gentile gentlemen. Conv. trans. MI. 3721.

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ROOMS, FURNISHED 37

N. CLEVELAND PARK—Unusually large room for one gentleman in quiet, discriminating home. Share bath with only one other—Army officer. Near Bureau of Standards, transportation. $10 weekly. Phone WOodley 2033.

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FRONT dbl. room, next to bath, nicely furnished and newly decorated; 2 closets. Also large front room, 3 persons, N.W. section. Refined ladies or men Government employed. HO. 5089.

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On bus; lovely single room; unlim. phone; unusual surroundings; $45. RA. 5983.

ROOMS, SUBURBAN 38

ALEXANDRIA—Single corner room, private home, for gentleman; conv. bus. Pentagon Bldg. Alex. 2146.

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HOUSEKEEPING SUITES 41

P ST. NW., 2135—2-3 girls; studio rm.; sink, grill. $4.50-$6.00 each. DI. 2135.

ROOMS WITH BOARD 43

DUPONT CIRCLE—Jewish home; lge. room, twin beds, bath, shower. NO. 4005.

IRVING ST. NW., 1642—Triple rm.; girls; individ. beds; exc. meals. CO. 3550.

P ST. NW., 1733—Vacancy for girl; single bed; large front room. AD. 0954.

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CHILDREN BOARDED 45

FRIENDSHIP HTS. DAY NURSERY—Vac. for 1 infant, 3 to 6 mos., and 1 child 2½ to 5 years. WI. 1617.

TABLE BOARD 46

EYE ST. NW.—Newly furn. dining room; ladies, gentlemen. $4 week, $15 month.

CONVALESCENT HOMES 47

HILLCREST CONVALESCENT HOME ON BALTO. BLVD.—Priv. and semipriv. rms., 24-hour nursing care. Call Berwyn 208.

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APARTMENTS, FURN. 50

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ARLINGTON, 1228 S. Oakcrest Rd.—2 girls to share 5-room apt. with 2 Govt. girls; near Navy Annex and Pentagon. Apply after 5 p. m.

COLUMBIA RD. NW., 1440—Gentile lady to share 1 bedrm. apt.; util. incl. NA. 8393.

D ST. NE., 633, Apt. 4—Registered nurse will share with congenial woman, 2-rm. apt., bath; everything furnished. Reasonable. TR. 4021.

MT. RAINIER, Md.—Gentile young lady to share attr. apt. with young mother and child. On bus line. WA. 9169.

3D ST. N.E., 1822—Private home; 2-room apartment. Working couple. Call after 6 p. m.

14TH AND IRVING NW.—Young man share basement studio room; private entrance; shower; conv. transportation. DE. 3268.

515 JEFFERSON ST. N.W.—Gentile married girl, between the age of 18 and 25, to share apt. Conv. transp. Box 359, Washington Post.

APARTMENTS WANTED 54

BUSINESS GIRL responsible position with Govt. wishes to rent 1 or 2-room apt., furnished. Telephone or write Room 403-F, Shoreham Hotel. (AD. 6700.).

WINNIE WINKLE — Dishonorably Discharged — By Branner

APARTMENTS WANTED 54

WIDOW wishes to rent 1 or 2 bedroom apt. in 1700 block Mass. ave. nw., furn. or will buy furn.; $75-$125. RA. 5982.

BUSINESS WOMAN desires 1-rm. apt., accessible to downtown; limit $60. Phone Miss Wentworth, RE. 7500, Ext. 72257.

FROM MARCH 1—Lady requires small furn. apt., NW. sec., for 6-wks. to 2-mos. visit; will pay $60 to $80. Phone daytime, RE. 2031.

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2 WAVE OFFICERS
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FURNISHED—ABOUT $150
Business executive of important war industry urgently needs small apt.; permanent resident; husband and wife only; yearly lease; Northwest preferred. Call ME. 1721.

UNFURNISHED
1-BEDROOM APT.
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WANTED BY
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HOUSES, FURNISHED 57

BETHESDA—Roosevelt st.; completely furnished 5-room and tile bath; shower; new piano. Modern detached brick; built-in garage. Full basement. Gas heat. Excellent condition. Available now. $150 month. NA. 8296.

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SUBURBAN RENT 60

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HOUSES, RENT, SALE 62

JUST WEST of 16th st. and south of Colorado ave.—Imposing stone and brick home of English Tudor design, center-hall type, 4 bedrooms, 2 baths on 2nd fl.; finished attic; 1st-fl. lavatory, maid's rm. and b.; oil h.-w. heat; 2-car gar.; distinctive neighborhood; price only $17,500; easy terms. An outstanding value. Call Realty Associates, EX. 1227, until 9 p. m.

WANTED TO RENT 63

2-BEDROOM APT. OR HOUSE.
FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED.
N.W., ARLINGTON OR SILVER SPRING.
$50-$75, FOR DURATION. ME. 1088.

COLONEL desires unfurnished 3-bedroom home, close to schools, N.W. or nearby Md. $85-$100. Any time before March 15. EX. 7700, Ext. 531 or 759.

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NEAR 14TH AND K STS. N.W.
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This 18-foot brick row house of 6 rooms, modern bath, 2 porches, with gas hot-water heat, is only 4 years old. Ceiling rental, $100 furnished.
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Six bedrooms, three complete baths, sleeping porch, wood-burning fireplace and large living room. Automatic heat, garage. Vacant—immediate possession. One block from bus. BOSS & PHELPS, Realtors. NA. 9300.

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HOUSES WANTED 84

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ARLINGTON, $9,500
4 bedrooms, 2 baths, living room, den, kitchen. Substantial cash.
Lindsay Siegfried, CH.

Radio Programs and Highlights

Morning Symphony Hour. Some sentimental notes will be heard this morning with the playing of the "Caprice Viennois" of Fritz Kreisler, the "Valse Triste" of Sibelius and the Mendelssohn "Violin Concerto." WINX—11:05 a. m.

Navy School of Music. Coast Guardsman Vernon Sugdam, one of the war's latest heroes, is the guest star, as an 80-piece blue jacket concert band, and a chorus of 45 voices perform under the baton of Ensign James M. Thurmond. WOL—12:30 p. m.

Swing and Sway. Shirley Booth, star of Broadway's recent laugh hit, "My Sister Eileen," is guest on Sammy Kaye's variety program. Red Barber and Songstress Nancy Norman are also on hand. WJSV—8 p. m.

Quiz of Two Cities. Gas rationing keeps Walter Compton from taking his gang of Washington contestants "across the tracks" to Baltimore to actually do battle with Henry Hickman's Baltimore mob, so they meet in a question contest by means of airwaves. WOL—8:30 p. m.

Your Government and Mine. Featuring the Civil Service Question Box, with Richard E. Schneder of the Civil Service Commission. WWDC—8:45 p. m.

Time to Smile. Once again with Eddie (Banjo Eyes) Cantor, luscious-voiced Dinah Shore, Bert Gordon and Edgar (Cookie) Fairchild's music. WRC—9:00 p. m.

John Freedom. Another drama of the unconquered countries, in a terse radio story which puts all of the Four Freedoms into an adventurous, vivid script. WMAL—9:00 p. m.

Free Poland. Captain Morgenstierne of the Polish Navy (Naval Attache in Washington) will discuss "the Antisubmarine Warfare" in which he participated. WWDC—9:15 p. m.

Kyser's Kollege. Kay will pit Sailors against Waves on what should prove to be a classic lesson on naval strategy from the United States Naval Base at San Pedro, Calif. WRC—10:00 p. m.

Treasury Star Parade. Pianist Carmen Cavellero offers you his dancing fingers in a program of popular and musical comedy favorites. WINX—11:15 p. m.

Wednesday, Feb. 17. — Washington Eastern War Time

	WMAL 630KC 476M	WRC 980KC 315M	WOL 1260KC 238M	WINX 1340KC 250W	WWDC 1450KC 250W	WJSV 1500KC 206M
	Today's Prelude. 6-7; Hitzenmark. 7:10, 8, 8:35; Claude Mahoney 7:45; News 6, 7	Timekeeper. 6-8:05. News. 6, 7, 8. Bill Herson. 6:05-6.	Dawn Pat. to 6:30; Art Brown. 6:35-8; News. 6:30, 7:30 & 8:30 by Jefferay.	Jerry Strong 6, 7, 8. News. 7, 8 and 9.	News. 6 to 9. Serenade. 6, 6:35. Brokenshire. 7-8. Crowley. 6:45.	News 6, 6:30, 7 & 7:30. Sun Dial 6 & 6:35. Godfrey 7 to 9:45. E. Lee 8:55.
9:00	Breakfast Club	Everything Goes	Art Brown	Hymn Time	Captain Cash	Arthur Godfrey
9:15	Breakfast Club	Everything Goes		Bob Callahan	Norman Brokenshire	Sun Dial
9:30	Breakfast Club	News; Banghart	Homemakers	Win Money	Norman Brokenshire	Sun Dial
9:45	Breakfast Club	Rhyme Time	News; H'makers	From WINX	Norman Brokenshire	Home Service
10:00	Market Basket	Robert St. John	Homemakers	Win Money	Captain Cash	Valiant Lady
10:15	Pin Money	The O'Neills	Mr. Moneybags	From WINX	Shopping News	American Stories
10:30	Pin Money	Helpmate	Morning Serenade	Traffic Court	News; Alice Lane	Honeymoon Hill
10:45	Pin Money	American Woman	Morning Serenade	Traffic Court	Frankie Carle	Bachelors Child'n
11:00	Breakfast at	Road of Life	Sydney Moseley	News	Harmony House	News Roundup
11:15	Sardi's	Vic and Sade	Karl Zomar	Symphony Hour	Harmony House	Second Husband
11:30	Hank Lawson	Snow Village	Walter Compton	Symphony Hour	Kenny Baker	Bright Horizon
11:45	Reiser Duo	David Harum	Boothby Mansell	Symphony Hour	Dinah Shore	Aunt Jenny
12:00	News	News; Novelettes	News Roundup	Victory at Home	Password Please	Kate Smith Speaks
12:15	Little Show	Devotions	Bill Hay Reads	Luncheon Music	Dixieland Jamboree	Big Sister
12:30	Nat'l Farm &	Matinee Today	Navy School	Luncheon Music	Dixie'nd Jamboree	Helen Trent
12:45	Home Hour	Matinee Today	of Music	Luncheon Music	Wash. Headlines	Our Gal Sunday
1:00	News	Mary Mason	News; Russ Hodges	News;	Captain Cash	Life Beautiful
1:15	Open House	Mary Mason		Tony	Concert Hour	Ma Perkins
1:30	Open House	Uncle Sam	Strictly Personal	Wakeman	Concert Hour	Vic and Sade
1:45	U. S. Marine	Carey Longmire	Mr. Moneybags	" "	Concert Hour	The Goldbergs
2:00	Band	Light of World	Russ Hodges'	Tony Wakeman	Captain Cash	Young Dr. Malone
2:15	Schools for V	Lonely Women	Sports Page	Tony Wakeman	Concert Hour	Joyce Jordan
2:30	Musical	Guiding Light	Russ Hodges'	Music	Vincent Lopez	We Love & Learn
2:45	Matinee	Church Hymns	Sports Page	Music	On Stage	Pepper Young
3:00	Mort. Downey	Mary Marlin	Walter Compton	News; Tony	Sweet and Swing	American School
3:15	My True	Ma Perkins	Russ Hodges'	Wakeman	Sweet and Swing	of the Air
3:30	Story	Pepper Young	Sports Page	Music	News; 1450 Club	News & Rhythm
3:45	Uncle Sam	Right to Happiness	Hay Burners	Music	1450 Club	Imperial Singers
4:00	News	Backstage Wife	Russ Hodges	News; Tony	1450 Club	Merrill Pitt
4:15	Accent on	Stella Dallas	Sports Page	Wakeman	1450 Club	Shannon Bolin
4:30	Music	Lorenzo Jones	Russ Hodges	Music	News; 1450 Club	Popular Rhythms
4:45	Accent on	Widow Brown	Sports Page	Music	1450 Club	Organ Music
5:00	Music	A Girl Marries	Zeke Manners	News; Joe Green	Captain Cash	Texas Rangers
5:15	10-2-4 Ranch	Portia Faces Life	Uncle Sam	Orchestra	Band of the Day	Texas Rangers
5:30	J. Armstrong	Just Plain Bill	News; Music	Prize Party	A.P. Newsviews	News; Music
5:45	Capt. Midnight	Front Page Farrell	Superman	News Roundup	R. Carson; Sports	Ben Bernie
6:00	Terry—Pirates	News; Allies	Prayer; Sports	Sports Parade	Hollywood Camera	News, Howe
6:15	News. B'hage	Musicade	Variations	Donald Novis	Boothby-Mansell	Arch McDonald
6:30	Bits o' Hits	Robert St. John	News Compton	Uncle Sam	Johannes Steel	Keep Working
6:45	Lowell Thomas	Musicade	Civilian Defense	Orchestra	Five Star Show	The World Today
7:00	Day Is Done	Fred Waring	Fulton Lewis, Jr.	News;	Cantor Shapiro	Amos 'n Andy
7:15	R.Michael:M's	News of World	Johnson Family	Money Calling	Cantor Shapiro	Harry James
7:30	The Lone	March of Mercy	California	Dr. Fendrich	Xavier Cugat	Easy Aces
7:45	Ranger	Gene Archer	Melodies	Balalaika Revue	Richard Eaton	Mr. Keen
8:00	Earl Godwin	Mr. and Mrs. North	Cal Tinney	War College	1450 Club	Sammy Kaye
8:15	Lum 'n Abner	Mr. and Mrs. North	Barrie Sisters	My Problem Is	All States Rally	Sammy Kaye
8:30	Manhattan	Tommy Dorsey	Quits of	Paul Martin	News; 1450 Club	Doctor
8:45	at Midnight	Show	Two Cities	Orchestra	Your Gov't & Mine	Christian
9:00	John	Time to	Gabriel Heatter	Symphony Hour	1450 Club	Mayor of
9:15	Freedom	Smile	Carnival; Morton	Symphony Hour	Foreign Observer	the Town
9:30	Spotlight	Mr. District	Gould's Orchestra	Symphony Hour	1450 Club	Good
9:45	Bands	Attorney	" "	Symphony Hour	Will Osborne	Listening
10:00	R. G. Swing	Kay Kyser's	John B. Hughes	Bob Crosby	Hockey Game	Great Moments
10:15	Gracie Fields	Musical	Manuel Ovando	Orchestra	Hockey Game	in Music
10:30	National	Kollege	Paul Schubert	Traffic Court	Dick Jurgens	Man Behind
10:45	Radio Forum	" "	Eddy Howard	Traffic Court	News from London	the Gun
11:00	News	News; Music	News; Repaid	News; Fiesta	Jack Stevens	News, Shirer
11:15	What's Your	Richard Harkness	Frankie Masters	Treas. Presents	Horace Heidt	Arch McDonald's
11:30	War Job?	Music You Want	Henry Jerome	Night Music	Continental Hits	"Moon Dial"
11:45	Homespun	Music You Want	Don McGrane	Night Music	Continental Hits	Dancing in Dark

TERRY AND THE PIRATES
... DO YOU INTELLIGENCE JOKERS WANT ANYTHING ELSE FROM ME?
NO, FLIP! YOUR STORY FITS IN WITH WHAT WE ALREADY HAVE ON THE JAPS TRYING TO SET UP AMBUSH BASES...
Am I a Bum, Chum?
By Milton Caniff
YOU CAN GO BOLSTER THE MORALE OF THE ARMY NURSE CORPS!
TRY AND STOP ME, SOLDIER! —SAY, WHAT ABOUT THE REDHEAD NAMED ROUGE?
THE CHINESE HAVE FIRST CRACK AT HER CASE! PERSONALLY, I THINK SHE'S A DONE DUCK!
AND DO YOU HAVE ANY DOPE ON A CIVILIAN NAMED TERRY LEE?
NOTHING IN MY FILES! ...FRIEND OF YOURS?
AFTER WHAT I GOT HIM INTO— I'M NOT SO SURE!
MARY WORTH'S FAMILY
By Dale Allen
NICE PEOPLE, MY SECOND COUSIN HERBERT AND HIS CHARMING WIFE, AGATE! SOMETHING TELLS ME THIS IS THE BEGINNING OF A BEAUTIFUL HATRED, MRS. WORTH!
LET'S NOT JUDGE THEM HARSHLY, PATTI! IT WOULD BE A SHOCK FOR YOUR GRANDFATHER, MEETING YOU AFTER 17 YEARS! I THINK IT WAS KIND OF MRS. FOPPLY TO GO UP AND PAVE THE WAY FOR YOU!
MEANWHILE...IN A ROOM UPSTAIRS...
...THE GIRL IS OBVIOUSLY AN IMPOSTER, AND THE OLD WOMAN IS HER CONFEDERATE, UNCLE PIERPONT! SHALL WE SEND THEM AWAY?
NO AGATE—HAVE THE GIRL COME UP! I'D ENJOY MATCHING WITS WITH A CROOK! LIFE IS SO DULL....NOWADAYS!
MICKEY FINN
On Their Way!
By Lank Leonard
TOM—I'M BEGINNIN' TO WONDER! EVERYTHING AROUND HERE IS THE ARMY—I HAVEN'T SEEN ONE SAILOR!
DON'T WORRY! WE'LL BE PUT IN THE NAVY! THEY HAVE THE PAPERS WE FILLED OUT!
OKAY, MEN! LINE UP!
YOUR NAME, PLEASE?
MICHAEL ALOYSIUS FINN!
WHERE ARE WE GOING NOW, TOM?
UPSTAIRS! FOR THE PHYSICAL EXAM!
MR. AND MRS.
Reduced to His Lowest Terms
By Arthur Folwell and Ellison Hoover
GOSH, ANOTHER NEW HAT! ALWAYS GETTING NEW HATS!
WHAT? ME? WHY, THIS IS THE FIRST NEW HAT I'VE HAD SINCE SEPTEMBER
MRS. SAPLING HAS HAD FOUR NEW HATS TO MY ONE AND NEVER PAYS LESS THAN TEN DOLLARS, WHILE THIS LITTLE HAT—
—COST ME ONLY $1.87 AND THE ONE I GOT IN JUNE I PAID ONLY $1.37 FOR. AND YOU SAY I GET HATS!
MRS. GADDER PAID $15 FOR HER LAST HAT AND SHE HAD TWO ALREADY. YOU HAVE A WIFE WHO'S ECONOMICAL, YET YOU SAY, MORE NEW HATS!
DIXIE DUGAN
No!
By J. P. McEvoy and H. J. Striebel
YOU KNOW HOW HARD I'VE TRIED TO FALL IN LOVE WITH HANK, DON'T YOU, PA ?? I LIKE YOU WANTED ME TO ??
YEH—BUT AFTER ALL A PARENT SHOULDN'T INTERFERE TOO MUCH—MEBBE I DID!
WELL, I'VE FINALLY RECOGNIZED HANK'S QUALITIES, AND THE WAY HE USED TO WORK AROUND THE HOUSE EACH EVENING—
USED TO, IS RIGHT!
PA—IF HANK ASKS ME TO MARRY HIM I'LL PROBABLY SAY—
NO!!!
?!!
DON WINSLOW OF THE NAVY
Losers Weepers
By Frank Martinek
DON'T LOOK NOW, DON, BUT I THINK SOMETHING'S FOLLOWING US!
RIGHT. A LINE SQUALL! AFTER WEEKS OF PERFECT WEATHER, WE WOULD GET CAUGHT IN A TWISTER!
WHO'S RISING—SON'S RISING—NIGHT'S FALLING! WHY DIDN'T I JOIN THE ARMY??
HEY! LOOK OUT!!
THERE IT GOES! OUR FOOD AND WATER!!
THIS CERTAINLY LOOKS LIKE THE FINAL BLOW!
BIG CHIEF WAHOO
By Saunders and Woggon
WHAT A SWEET CHARACTER OUR CAPTAIN IS!—PLANNING TO SAIL A SHIPLOAD OF NITRO-GLYCERIN INTO THE PANAMA CANAL AND BLOW IT UP!
THEM BUCK-TOOTHED MONKEY MEN IS PAYIN' HIM PLENTY! YE MAY LAY TO THAT, MATE!
HEY, STEVE!
THUMP THUMP
KEEPUM SHIRT ON! THESE CANS ALL EMPTY AS TOM-TOM DRUMS! LISTEN!!
DONALD DUCK
Far-Sighted!
BY WALT DISNEY
RIGHT AROUND HOME
By Dudley Fisher
I'LL SLIP IN VERY QUIETLY AND HAVE A LITTLE SNOOZE BEFORE DINNER.
HELLO, DEAR!
JOE PALOOKA
Under Arrest
By Ham Fisher
ARE YOU INSANE, DEREK—THIS IS PAMELA HUDDLESFORD—SOUTH AFRICAN—SHE'S A DEAR FRIEND OF MY NIECE OUT THEAR—
LADY MITTLEIGH, YOUR GUEST IS A GERMAN SPY!
COME COME—THIS IS ALL VERY SILLY. DEREK'S DRUNK MY DEAR—ALWAYS TOOK A BIT TOO MUCH—NOW EVERYONE CLEAR OUT—
I'M LEAVING THIS PLACE INSTANTLY. I'LL SUE FOR LIBEL—GET OUT OF MY WAY YOU—YOU CLODS!!
SEE HEAH—YOU CAHNT DO THAT TO HER—IT'S AN OUTRAGE.
YOU'RE LEAVING, BARONESS, BUT WITH US. GET HER COAT, PALOOKA, AND GET THE DEVIL OUT OF THE WAY, LADY MITTLEIGH—YOU'VE BEEN IN THE WAY TOO LONG!!
LET GO OF ME YOU DRUNKEN FOOL—UGGHHH.
JANE ARDEN
A Little Help From Petrov
By Monte Barrett and Russell Ross
JANE, JANE—THAT'S ALL HE TALKS ABOUT—YOU'D THINK HE HAD NOTHING TO LIVE FOR, HIMSELF—
OH, BUT I HAVE—THAT'S ANOTHER MATTER! I MUST TAKE UP WITH JANE—
WHAT ARE YOU TWO TRYING TO DO? PUT ME ON THE SPOT?
THAT'S RIGHT—THE SPOT RIGHT IN FRONT OF THE ALTAR!
THAT'S WHAT I LIKE ABOUT BERTIN—NO BEATING ABOUT THE BUSH WITH HIM—
FOR HEAVEN'S SAKE—IF THIS IS A PROPOSAL, WHICH ONE OF YOU IS MAKING IT?
I AM—BUT PETROV CRAMPS MY STYLE A BIT!
ARE YOU ASKING ME TO LEAVE MY OWN HOUSE?
SUPERMAN
Hear Superman 5:45 P.M. Today—WOL
By Jerry Siegel and Joe Shuster
FLASHING IN, SUPERMAN INSERTS HIS OWN ARM IN THE GAPING SPACE LEFT BY THE MISSING PORTION OF THE RAIL
IF THIS DOESN'T WORK, NOTHING WILL!
IT TICKLES!
SUCCESS!
AS THE SILVER EXPRESS HALTS ON THE TRESTLE'S OTHER SIDE...
LOOK! THERE GOES SUPERMAN!
I FOUND IT HARD TO BELIEVE SUPERMAN WAS WORKING FOR THE ENEMY.
BUT HIS BEING HERE AT THE MOMENT THE MOUNTAIN EXPLODED IS PROOF ENOUGH FOR ME!

POST GOT RESULTS IN ONE DAY

Where Another Paper Failed in Three Days

Mr. Lange wanted a 2 or 3 room apartment before March 1. Knowing that apartments and houses are so scarce in Washington he decided to run a large type, 25-line ad. This should have brought results but Mr. Lange was advertising through the wrong paper. After three days he switched to The Post. That brought RESULTS . . . and fast! In fact the first day the ad appeared in The Post Mr. Lange found just the place he wanted. Let The [illegible] help YOU find a house or apartment. Call NAtional 4200 and ask for an ad-taker.

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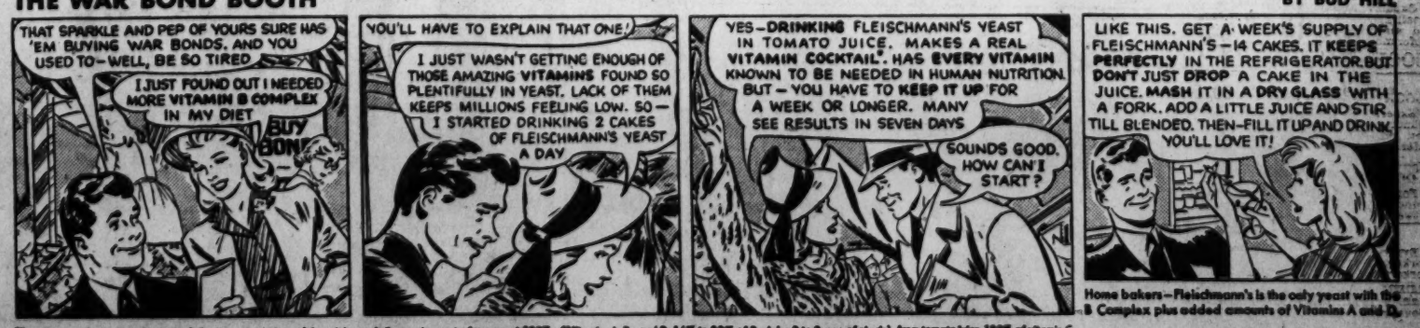
THE WAR BOND BOOTH

BY BUD HILL


THAT SPARKLE AND PEP OF YOURS SURE HAS 'EM BUYING WAR BONDS. AND YOU USED TO—WELL, BE SO TIRED
I JUST FOUND OUT I NEEDED MORE VITAMIN B COMPLEX IN MY DIET
BUY BONDS
YOU'LL HAVE TO EXPLAIN THAT ONE!
I JUST WASN'T GETTING ENOUGH OF THOSE AMAZING VITAMINS FOUND SO PLENTIFULLY IN YEAST. LACK OF THEM KEEPS MILLIONS FEELING LOW. SO—I STARTED DRINKING 2 CAKES OF FLEISCHMANN'S YEAST A DAY
YES—DRINKING FLEISCHMANN'S YEAST IN TOMATO JUICE, MAKES A REAL VITAMIN COCKTAIL. HAS EVERY VITAMIN KNOWN TO BE NEEDED IN HUMAN NUTRITION. BUT—YOU HAVE TO KEEP IT UP FOR A WEEK OR LONGER. MANY SEE RESULTS IN SEVEN DAYS
SOUNDS GOOD. HOW CAN I START?
LIKE THIS. GET A WEEK'S SUPPLY OF FLEISCHMANN'S—14 CAKES. IT KEEPS PERFECTLY IN THE REFRIGERATOR. BUT DON'T JUST DROP A CAKE IN THE JUICE. MASH IT IN A DRY GLASS WITH A FORK. ADD A LITTLE JUICE AND STIR TILL BLENDED. THEN—FILL IT UP AND DRINK. YOU'LL LOVE IT!

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The Washington Merry-Go-Round

By Drew Pearson

How Secret Service Protected Roosevelt

HERE is the inside story of how the Secret Service performed one of its most difficult assignments in history—protecting the President on his trip among North African Arabs, West African natives, and through South America.

To prepare for it, Michael F. Reilly, White House Secret Service agent, left Washington several days before the President, and traveled the exact route he was to follow. From Miami to Brazil to West Africa to North Africa, Reilly and a picked squad of men went over every step in advance.

Casablanca Precautions

AT Casablanca, a barbed wire fence was erected around the hotel and villas in which the President and Prime Minister were to stay. All native servants (Arabs) were removed from the two villas intended for the two chiefs, and United States soldiers were substituted.

Arabs were retained in other parts of the hotel, but not allowed to leave the compound during the entire period. They soon learned who their guests were, and some tried to pass notes to friends outside (with no apparent harmful intention), but the notes were intercepted by Secret Service.

Toughest job was protecting the President on his motor ride from Casablanca to the former fighting zone, 110 miles away. The round trip of 220 miles was made in a single day, the President riding in a closed car, preceded by Secret Service agents in a jeep.

Mrs. Roosevelt Expected

THE President tells the story of how the agents distracted bystanders, to prevent them from discovering that the President was in the car. On the road up to the lines, Agent Mike Reilly would suddenly point to the heavens, as if he saw a plane, and Agent Jim Barry would crane his neck to see. So would the bystanders. And by the time they had finished looking, the President's car would have passed.

For variety, they changed the ruse on the return trp. Agent Jim Barry pretended to fall out of the jeep, and Agent Mike Reilly pretended to catch hm. Natives became so absorbed in watching this little drama, that they paid no attention to the car behind.

The air of all these tricks and preparations was successfully met—namely, to keep the President's visit a secret from the Germans. Reilly says that most people who saw preparations being made in advance suspected that a distinguished visitor was coming, but guessed wrong as to the person. They thought it was Mrs. Roosevelt.

Capital Chaff

MEETING in the Mayflower lobby, former Senator Bill Smathers of New Jersey shook hands with former Senator Clyde Herring of Iowa and said: "As one lame duck to another, how are you?" . . Herring is about to join the OPA staff as political adviser to former Senator Prentiss Brown, OPA administrator. . . . Wherever Brig. Gen. Pat Hurley went—through Russia, Iraq, Iran, Syria and Egypt—he amused himself by enlisting members in his "B. S. and N. Club." Only after collecting $1 initiation fee did Hurley disclose the full title of the club—Boobs, Suckers and Nuts. . . . In his tour of the Americas, Mexican Labor Leader Lombardo Toledano was denied entry to Argentina. He says the Argentine government is pro-Fascist. The Argentines say he is pro-Communist. . . . Mrs. Roosevelt has just acquired an autographed copy of Luis Quaintanilla's book, "A Latin American Speaks."

Corn and Cattle

IT is more than a good bet that the Government will remove the ceiling on corn before another month is up. Judge Marvin Jones, now on leave from the Court of Claims to help Economic Czar Byrnes on farm problems, has already discussed the matter with Midwest farm leaders, and the move seems certain.

Here is the reason. At present the corn ceiling of $1, Chicago, means that a great many corn growers will feed their crop to hogs instead of selling it as grain. This, of course, is customary in a large part of the Middle West.

However, a lot of corn, above that fed to hogs, has always been sold to cattle raisers and dairy farmers.

But today the biggest corn profit comes from hog-feeding. This is because Secretary Wickard, himself an Indiana hog farmer, has put a floor price under hogs. In other words, hogs cannot drop below a certain price, so the farmer is guaranteed a stable price on pork. Thus he fares better by feeding the corn to hogs than selling it to cattle raisers or dairy farmers at $1 a bushel. In fact, it is estimated that it is worth about $1.25 to $1.50 if he keeps the corn himself and puts it into pork.

Secretary Wickard doesn't seem anxious to lift the ceiling on corn, but it looks as if he would be superseded. Dairy products and beef are too important.

Merry-Go-Round

When the War Department showed newsmen a radar instrument at Fort Monmouth, officials imposed strict secrecy, even forbidding mention of the word. Same day Time published a full account of the device, with an illustration . . . Millionaire Julius Rosenwald got only 88 cents of his $1-a-year for Government service. The rest went for social security . . . Rumors that Pat Hurley may replace George Messersmith as Ambassador to Mexico are groundless. Messersmith is not ill. In spite of the fact that he works from 8 a. m. to 8 p. m., he has missed only 3 days in 11 months.

D. C. Building Owners Told to Convert to Coal

Inspectors from the District Office of Price Administration are surveying oil-burning buildings here and telling laggard owners to convert to coal, it was learned last night.

Despite widely announced statements that oil-burning furnaces must be converted to coal, only about one-fourth of the large consuming buildin. here have been converted.

Owners seem to be waiting until told specifically they must convert their properties, authorities were agreed. So far as can be learned no penalties have been exacted for lack of effort to convert.

Apparently the middle of next summer will find oil burners being converted to coal, since the shortage is expected to increase, not decrease.

Meantime, John J. Beatty, jr., of the Iron Fireman Sales Corp. revealed that the necessity of conversion is so generally recognized by the Government that manufacturers are having no difficulty in getting materials for stokers. Within two weeks after the War Production Board approves an order, he said, a stoker can be delivered to a customer.

Bill Would BanPromise, Alienation Actions

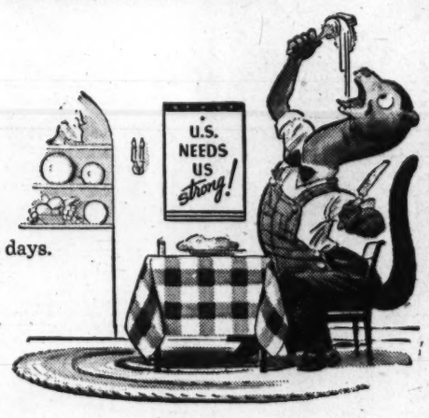
Carson City, Nev., Feb. 16 (AP).—A bill introduced in the Nevada Assembly proposes outlawing alienation of affection or breach of promise actions.

The bill declares the laws should be repealed because they have been abused and many innocent persons have been embarrassed and humiliated by unscrupulous persons.

THE SMOOTHEST COLA DRINK
Guth COLA PUNCH
YET EXTRA STRONG—AT FOUNTAINS

Wise Rhymes for These Times

1. Myrtle Mink
Is smart, we think.
When she goes to the store—
Her list includes
The Victory Foods
That save, and serve the war!



2. The man she wed
Is *still* well fed,
And war work fills his days.
He eats nutritious,
Simple dishes
Served delicious ways.

3.
The Minks are smart,
They do their part
To save our food supply.
So when you see
The Victory "V"
Then *that's* the food to buy.

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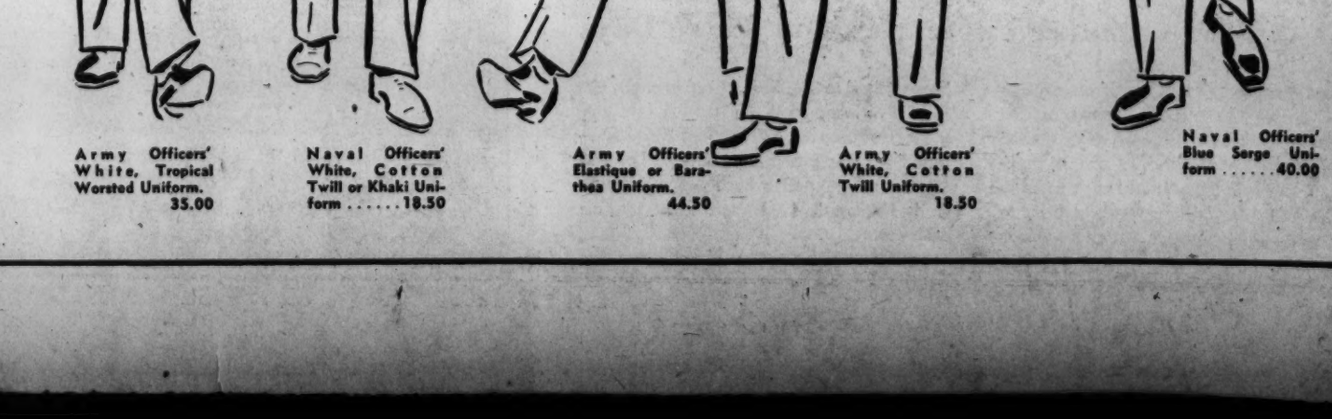

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